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YEGGMEN BLOW SUN THEATRE SAFE

$140 Secured As Reward For Most Daring Robbery

Safe blowers Monday night invaded the heart of the business district, wresting $140, a day's receipts, from the safe at the Sun theatre on Gallia street and escaping, left no clue to their identity. It is a climax to a series of petty thieving, daring robberies and wholesale depredations that have been practiced in the city for weeks.

Police are baffled. Not a clue that offers a tangible thread on which to weave a net around the criminals has been picked up.

Three weeks ago, under cover of a raging blizzard, robbers raided Anderson Bros. store and escaped with plunder estimated at $200. Not a garment of the entire amount of goods has been recovered. So far the police have not been in possession of a semblance of a clue. Friday night, robbers applied their talents to Louis Ditty's cafe on Gallia street, securing $27 in cash and a small quantity of liquor. Raids of the robbers have all been directed at prominent business establishments.

Similar robberies of dwellings in the residential districts are attributed to the tentacles of the same gang which holds the city in its grip.

[illegible] of a two hundred when the theatre was closed for [illegible] were found scattered the night. Exactly $137.50 was [illegible] in the rear of the [illegible] loot of the thieves [illegible] Tuesday morning [illegible] Dixon, colored [illegible] the theatre, turned at [illegible] of the banister leading [illegible] basement. It was dark [illegible] and he was forced [illegible] on the lights to see [illegible] over.

Safe [illegible] Scattered

[illegible] iron safe had been [illegible] as if it were a cigar [illegible] to the explosion of [illegible] The top was [illegible] The sides were distri[illegible] rear aisle of the house [illegible] Silver change [illegible] with the debris on the [illegible] of $7.50 was [illegible] the mess of slivers [illegible] plaster paris used as [illegible] safe, shreds of carp[illegible] lying on the floor, [illegible] two dollars in bills, de[illegible] ranging from $1 to [illegible] in silver, $15 in gold and [illegible] change was in the safe.

Was Work Of Experts

And the entire procedure maintained by the gang demonstrated convincingly that they are experts. It is supposed that they concealed themselves somewhere in the [illegible] during the second performance at the Sun Monday night. When the house was locked for the evening the yeggs are supposed to have been inside. They apparently unlocked the

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President Takes Firm Stand In His Message

Washington, Dec. 2.—An enter[illegible] for government owner[illegible]ship of public utilities and a demand that the people and not politicians select presidential candidates, were revolutionary suggestions by President Wilson in his fourth message to congress today.

The president frankly advocated a government owned and controlled railroad in Alaska and went farther in the matter of the advocacy of a presidential primary than any enthusiast of the plan have ever yet suggested.

He also declared strongly that Huerta must be eliminated from the Mexican government.

The president arrived on the floor at 1:10 this afternoon and finished at 1:40 and soon after left for the white house. The president's reception was much more enthusiastic than on any previous occasion. When he was presented by Speaker Champ Clark, Senator Kern started handclapping and which spread over the floor and then into the galleries. The president smiled broadly in acknowledgement.

THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE IN BRIEF.

MEXICO. Mexico has no government. "There can be no certain prospect of peace in Mexico until General Huerta has surrendered his usurped authority, and that time is not far away."

FARMERS. "Pending currency does the farmer a great service. The farmer and the government will henceforth be real partners."

BUSINESS. "Let the Sherman anti-trust law stand unaltered, but reduce the debatable ground by more explicit legislation to make [illegible] fairer to all concerned."

The message promised:

PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARIES. "I urge the prompt enactment of legislation which will provide for primary elections throughout the country at which the voters may choose their nominees for the presidency."

UNITED STATES TERRITORIES. "Ultimate independence in the Philippines. Perfect self government in Hawaii."

ALASKA. "Full territorial form of government. Alaska as a store house should be unlocked. The government should own and administer the railroads, ports and terminals. It should itself control them."

MINES. "Provide a fair and effective employers liability act. Social justice comes first. Law is the machinery for its realization."

SAFETY AT SEA. "Prompt alleviation of the very unsafe, unjust and burdensome condition which now surrounds the employment of sailors."

(The President's message in full is on page 6.)

FIRST BLOOD IN HOOSIER STRIKE

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 2 Claude Lewis, a negro, 19, was killed, and three men were wounded, one probably fatally this afternoon when six special officers riding in an ice wagon, shot into a crowd which tried to stop the wagon on Indiana avenue. The special officers were taken to the police station but it was said they would be released as soon as they made a statement.

Mayer Wallace ordered the police to disperse a parade which was proposed by the teamsters and chauffeurs who are on a strike. The police kept the crowd away from labor headquarters and did not give the men a chance to start.

Ask For Mediator

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 2.—The labor department at Washington was appealed to by wire today to send a mediator. They hope that a federal agent may succeed in obtaining arbitration of the 300 union teamsters' demands.

THREE STILL IN MINE

Cripple Creek, Colo., Dec. 2. Fighting against tons of rock and dirt, hundreds of miners working in shifts of 25 minutes each struggled today to reach the three men still entombed in the Golden Cycle mine, here in which four men were entombed late yesterday by a cave-in and from which one miner was rescued alive. A fifth miner entombed in the Christmas mine was rescued late last night. Grave fears for the safety of the three men was felt today.

Bullet In His Head

Wellsburg, W. Va., Dec. 2. George Mooney, 80, farmer, living near Ebenezer, this county, was found dead in his home last night. It is believed he was murdered. There was a bullet hole in his head and the room was in disorder. He lived alone and was known to have kept large sums of money in his home.

IN NEW YORK TOO.

Lewiston, N. Y., Dec. 2.—Yeggmen today blew the safe of the Youngstown postoffice near here, escaping with $2,500 in money and stamps. The robbers escaped in a boat over the Niagara river into Canada.

AGED NURSE IN WANT

Charleston, W. Va., Dec. 2. On her way from Covington to Ashland, Ky., to spend her 71st birthday and the remainder of her days, Mrs. Margaret Kertley reached here late last night, enfeebled by age and crippled through exposure during the civil war. Mrs. Kertley, who earned letters from federal commanders, including one from Stonewall Jackson, commending her for heroic duties as a nurse on the field of battle was sheltered for the night and given adequate means for reaching her destination.

ELECTION IN EAST

Boston, Mass., Dec. 2.—Fourteen of the 33 cities in Massachusetts held municipal elections today. Hot campaigns were waged in several cities between advocates and opponents of wets and drys.

Dynamite In Strike

Calumet, Mich., Dec. 2. The home of a nonunion workman at the Quincy mine, in the copper mining district, was badly damaged by dynamite today. The kitchen was shattered and the members of the family were thrown from their beds. Elsewhere in the district it was quiet.

PENALTY OF MURDER

Crowley, La., Dec. 2. Dora Murff, 18, was found guilty of manslaughter and her stepfather, J. S. Duvall, was convicted of first degree murder without capital punishment here today. They were charged with the killing of J. M. Dubaye, Miss Murff's sweetheart. Allie Duvall, the girl's half brother, was acquitted.

Whitelock Named

Washington, Dec. 2. The nomination of former Mayor Brand Whitlock of Toledo, Ohio, to be minister to Belgium was sent to the senate today. Whitlock's nomination was made at the request of Mayor Newton D. Baker of Cleveland, one of the original Wilson men in Ohio.

W. A. Holmes, a Second street second-hand dealer, is remodeling his property.

EMPEROR IS NOW 65

Vienna, Austria, Dec. 2.—Emperor Franz Josef today celebrated his 65th year on the throne, being the oldest living monarch and having ruled longer than any other with the exception of Louis XIV, of France.

Won Health Marriage Certificate From Federal Board.

H. B. Terrill, a clerk in one of the departments at Washington, is the first man in the United States to obtain from the United States government a health certificate for his forthcoming marriage. He submitted himself to the physicians of the General Health Board for examination, and after looking him over, the doctors concluded that he answered all the demands, not of the faddists of eugenics, perhaps, but of modern science.

Tatman Is Winner

Columbus, O., Dec. 2.—(Special) — Former County Treasurer L. G. Tatman wins his suit to collect $170.40 for collecting unpaid street assessments by a decision of the Supreme court, which orders former Treasurer William G. Gims to pay the amount.

BLAKE.

HIGH COURT FOR NEWMAN

Columbus, O., Dec. 2. William Newman, former employe of the Portsmouth Steel company, in Scioto county, today received $1,000 for being discharged. The Supreme court affirmed the decision of the common pleas court granting Newman the amount as damages for breach of contract in 1910. Newman, who was a native of Pittsburgh, was hired as a roller by the Portsmouth Steel company for one year, but was discharged before the year was up, and he sued the company.

Suicide Theory

Shelbyville, Ind., Dec. 2. Suicide, not murder, was the theory of Dr. Helen Knabe's mysterious murder as outlined to the jury today in the opening statement for the defense of Dr. William B. Craig, charged with her murder, by Attorney Henry M. Stamm, of Indianapolis.

An alibi and an attack on methods of Henry Webster, the private detective hired by Indianapolis club women, will be the other lines of defense.

Saloon Men Must Report

Columbus, O., Dec. 2. State Commissioner Allen today announced a plan whereby he would make every saloonist in the state make a full report to the state commission every month.

Nation Wide "Drys" To Invade Capital; Local Men To Go

Columbus, O., Dec. 2 Washington will be invaded Dec. 10th by 1,000 advocates of nation wide prohibition who will appear before President Wilson and congress urging a constitutional amendment to make America dry, Wayne B. Wheeler, national superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League of America, announced today. The delegates will assemble at the capital and march to the White House in a body. Among the delegates announced today are: E. F. Rideout, John T. Breece, George D. Selby, Pearl E. Selby and W. B. Anderson of Portsmouth.

MEXICO CITY IN FEAR OF REBELS

Mexico City, Dec. 2.—News that Chihuahua City had fallen into the hands of the rebels was the cause of much anxiety here. Fear was expressed that Mexico City would be the next and that Gen. Villa, the rebel commander, making the attack.

Rear Admiral Sir Christopher Craddock, commander of the three British steamships in the Mexican waters this afternoon called upon Provisional President Huerta at the National Palace.

Manuel Madero, uncle of the late President Madero, who was taken to Vera Cruz prison last week, was brought back to Mexico City today. He is charged with sedition. His wife and relatives fearing for his life today asked the American embassy to intercede in his behalf.

Will Occupy Chihuahua

Juarez, Dec. 2. Hasty preparations were under way today in the rebel ranks for the occupation of Chihuahua City, the capital of Chihuahua state, which is reported to have been evacuated by the federals because of threatened starvation of its 35,000 population.

Pointing out that of the important Federal strongholds in the north only Monterey and Guyamas remained, Gen. Francisco Villa, the rebel leader said Chihuahua would be made the base of aggressive activities southward.

Gen. Ojinaga, with 2000 federal soldiers and Generals Orozco and Salazar are said to have been taken to the mountains. Villa declined to say when, definitely, but said the rebel advance toward Mexico City, would continue briskly. Gen. Mercado is said to have decided on flight to the American border so that he could communicate with Prov. Pres. Huerta. Communication between Chihuahua and Mexico City has been impossible for weeks.

Federals Are On The Run

Hermosilla, Mexico, Dec. 2. Officials here received confirmation here from federal headquarters that the garrison at Guyamas and Mazatlan had been preparing to evacuate. It was believed this gave rise from the report from Juarez last night that the two west coast forts had fallen into the hands of the insurgents. There has been no disposition by constitutionalists to attack either towns as it has been assumed the federals would evacuate sooner or later.

Will Burn The Books

Sandusky, O., Dec. 2.—The [illegible] recurrence of an epidemic of diphtheria at Huron has caused the village council to order burned all school books, believing among other things, the interchange of which caused the epidemic. Four grades are closed.

WILL FREE ZELAYA

Washington, Dec. 2.—Former President Zelaya of Nicaragua will be released from the tombs in New York and allowed to go to his home in Spain, it was announced today at the state department. He will be released tonight.

CHATTER BY DOC DUCK

It's sometimes easier for the minister to earn his salary than it is for him to get it.

Sound arguments make the least noise.

DEC. 2

A good day for business affairs. Risks look favorable.

If this is your birthday keep in good health for the coming year seems full of success for you.

BILLY BUTT IN — TIMES WEATHER MAN

Yes [illegible] report is true. I'm goin' t' Mexico, but don't think for a minute yer weather will suffer on that account. I'll send it in daily by grapevine telegraph an' then if I get shot an' die like a [illegible] you've still got Tom and Herb [illegible] fall back on. Here goes for [illegible]

Ohio—Continued unsettled tonight and Wednesday.

Kentucky—Continued unsettled weather tonight and Wednesday.

WHEN IS A MAN DRUNK? READ THIS AND GET WISE

The Scioto County Liquor License Board, Tuesday, issued the folowing statement in regard to the opinions that shall govern saloons in regard to the sale of intoxicants to intoxicated persons or to persons in the habit of becoming intoxicated:

Section 13198 of the General Code of Ohio reads as follows:

"Whoever buys intoxicating liquor for, or sells, or furnishes it to a person who is intoxicated, or in the habit of getting intoxicated, unless given by a physician in the regular line of his practice, shall be fined not less than ten dollars nor more than one hundred dollars, or imprisoned not less than ten days nor more than thirty days, or both."

While there is much difference of opinion as to what constitutes a state of intoxication, and the habit of getting intoxicated, as expressed in the foregoing section of the General Code, it is well to observe what has been advised and decreed by the courts as correct definitions of these terms. The charge of Judge Nash, which is frequently quoted by judges of the common pleas courts, is given below:

"A person may be said to be intoxicated when he is so much under the influence of intoxicating liquor that he is unfitted and disqualified from attending to and performing the usual duties and business of life. Intoxicating liquors affect different individuals in different ways. One individual it renders dull and stupid, so that while he may possess the powers of locomotion, his intellect is so stupefied that he is wholly incapable of attending to any matter of business; another is rendered excited and noisy, and for the time positively insane, though he may be physically stronger and more active than when sober. In these instances the effect is upon the mind, disqualifying the man intellectually from being fit to be entrusted with the performance of any important business. On the other hand, another person will exhibit intoxication by losing all control over his muscular action so that he will be unable to walk or move, while his mind may be tolerably clear ... Still the man is physically disqualified by the intoxication from attending to his ordinary business. There are other persons who are mentally and physically able to drink large amounts of intoxicants ... without losing their mental ability or all control over their actions; and yet the effect to maintain ... [illegible]

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says Dr. Harvey W. Wiley ... [illegible] ... E-RU-SA PILE REMEDY is the only ... real Pile Cure. Therefore the only Good Pile Cure. E-RU-SA is guaranteed to cure ... [illegible] ... WURSTER BROS. ... STREICH, GEO. W. FREUND, FRANK AMANN.

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Ladies' All Linen Plain Hemsitched from ----5c up
Ladies' All Linen Hand Embroidered Handkerchiefs from --15c to 65c each
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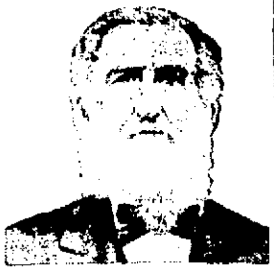

MAJ. S. MARTIN

The temper of the family and the good cheer around the table depend so much on the good digestion of each individual present that the experiences of some former dyspeptics who overcame their trouble should be of interest to those now suffering in this way.

The best advice one can give ... is advice that is seldom heeded ... eat slowly and masticate each mouthful carefully. However, if slow eating and careful mastication fail, the next aid is one ... nature, Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. This remedy is an excellent digestant of the food, acts gently on the liver and bowels, ridding them of the accumulation of waste that ... long ago have been passed off. It is safe, reliable, pleasant tasting, and results are guaranteed.

Maj. S. Martin, of Joplin, Mo., now 77, thinks Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin has helped him to a longer and happier life. He has not felt ... so good ... since taking this excellent medicine, and in spite of his 77 years he says he feels like a boy.

It is the ideal remedy for indigestion, no matter how severe; constipation, no matter how chronic; ... stomach distress after eating and similar annoyances.

You can obtain Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin at any drug store for fifty cents or one dollar, the latter size being bought by heads of families already familiar with its merits. Results are always guaranteed or money will be refunded.

When you use Syrup Pepsin you will see the fallacy of chewing mints and tablets or of taking cathartics, salts, pills and similar drastic medicines. Unlike these, Syrup Pepsin does not lose its good effect, and by automatically training the stomach and bowel muscles to do their work, soon restores these organs to normal.

Families wishing to try a free sample bottle can obtain it, postpaid, by writing Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 419 Washington St., Monticello, Ill. A postal card with your name and address on it will do.

EVAN WILLIAMS TOOK PURE WATER ALONG

"I would like to have a glass of distilled water," said Evan Williams, the great Welsh tenor, as he placed a quarter on the bar in the cafe of the Washington hotel Monday night.

"I hope I am not casting any reflection on your water system here by ordering," continued the celebrated vocalist. "But ... every town I visit always has the best water without an argument and I suppose Portsmouth is not ... in this respect," said Mr. Williams as he leaned ... the glass of crystal-like water that was placed before him.

"No, that is one claim we cannot conscientiously make," came back Perry Hood, who was just to the right of Mr. Williams.

"Well, this is the first town I ever struck that wouldn't admit that their water service was second to none," rejoined Williams with an expansive smile that illuminated his mobile countenance.

"Well, since you admit that your water supply is not what it should be, I ... better not take any chances." So a small bottle of distilled water was thrust into an overcoat pocket of the singer and he departed in peace. As he gazed at the bottle he said: "Well, that ought to be enough to wet my whistle," and the wonderful tenor felt that the gentleman to his left, Perry Hood, had done him a great favor by informing him that the water supply here was not fit for mere man to drink, let alone America's most famous tenor.

Ladies Association Chooses Officers

At a meeting of the Ladies' ... Benevolent association ... Monday evening at St. John's hall, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Past president, Mrs. S. Miner; president, Mrs. C. C. Sawyer; vice president, Miss Elizabeth Rothen...; recorder, Miss Rose Kil...; assistant recorder, Anna W...; treasurer, Jennie O'Con...; financial secretary, Anna Doyle; marshal, Elizabeth Seidel; guard, Mary McMahon; trustees, Mrs. W. Glenn, Sarah McMahon, Katherine McMahon and Katherine Fox.

Greeks Will Soon Return From War

Tipton To Stick

Sedan Visitor Here Monday

Harrisonville Visitor.

Rarden Visitors.

W. A. Thompson and Martin ... of Rarden township were in the city Monday.

Haverhill Will Have A Fine Institute

The following is the program for the Farmers' Institute to be held at Haverhill Methodist church Monday and Tuesday, December 8th and 9th, 1913:

All sessions will commence promptly on (Standard) time.

MONDAY—9:00 a. m.
Music.
Devotional .... Rev. R. Walker
Corn—Varieties and Seed .... G. D. Housekeeper
Discussion .... W. A. Beath
Music.
Cooperation in Portage County .... J. F. Hudson
Music.

MONDAY—1:00 p. m.
Music.
Corn—Fertilizer and Tillage .... G. C. Housekeeper
Music.
Round-Table Topic—Practical Agriculture in Rural Schools
Music.
Why Boys Leave the Farm .... J. F. Hudson
Music.

MONDAY 7 p. m.
Music.
The Farmer and the Laws .... J. F. Hudson
Music.
Recitation .... George Selby
Round Table Topic—Why Decreasing Rural Population.
Music.
Success .... G. C. Housekeeper
Music.

TUESDAY—9:00 a. m.
Music.
Maintaining Soil Fertility .... J. F. Hudson
Music.
Is Forty Acres Enough? .... G. C. Housekeeper
Music.
Round-Table Topic—Cost of Drainage for Drainage.
Paper .... Otto Z...
Music.

TUESDAY—1:00 p. m.
Music.
Development of Dairy Herd .... J. F. Hudson
Music.
Cement on the Farm .... G. C. Housekeeper
Round-Table Topic—Farm Bookkeeping.
Music.

NEW CHURCH IS READY

The new Missionary Baptist church at Heselton, Ky., which has been in course of construction for the past few months, has been completed and has been turned over to the trustees of the church by the contractors. It will be dedicated with ... ceremonies within the next few weeks, in which prominent divines of Kentucky will take part.

Several local people assisted the congregation ... and their contributions were greatly appreciated.

Had To Kill Horse

Henry Dunning, who lives on Twelfth street, had to kill a horse valued at $200 Monday, because the animal was kicked on the leg by another horse and the leg was broken in two places.

Piers Gone; Dam Also

Ironton, O., Dec. 2—The last of the coffer dam in the river was ... Saturday by the Nave Brothers. They burned most of it ... with the oxyhydrogen flame. The giant piers are yet standing to remind Ironton of the bridge that ... Portsmouth and Huntington are claiming the bridge, but as yet they are not so far along as we once were.

The New Sun
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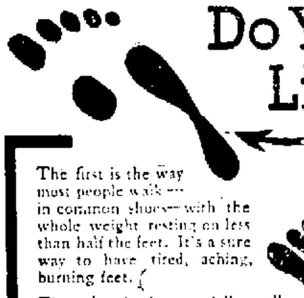

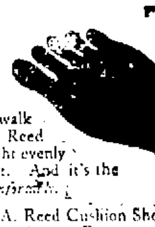

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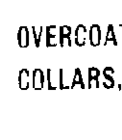

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No. 3 daily, fast train 1:54 p. m.
No. 7, daily, local ....3:07 p. m.
No. 5, daily, fast train, 5:24 a. m.
No. 17, week days, local, 6:31 a. m.
East Bound
No. 2, daily, fast train, 2:52 p. m.
No. 4, daily, fast train, 11:52 p. m.
No. 8, daily, local ....11:15 a. m.
No. 6, daily, fast train, 9:12 p. m.
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TODAY "THIEVES" VITAGRAPH DRAMA "When The Clock Stops"

New Local Pictures

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LOOK

COMING NEXT MONDAY EVA TANGUAY, BLANCE RING, RAYMOND HITCHCOCK IN MOTION PICTURES

PEERLESS FACTORIES BUSIEST IN YEARS

Portsmouth's enviable chain of shoe factories were never busier than right now and the firms are already making the statement without fear of contradiction that the present season, rapidly drawing to a close, will be the best in their history. More shoes have already been turned out and shipped to the various corners of the globe than at any other period in the history of the firms, the plants having been operated to their utmost capacity the past three months.

As a piece of illustrative evidence the Selby Shoe Company has orders on their books calling for [illegible] pairs of shoes and they can't get out that many. But with the removal of the Excelsior to its new home on Gallia [illegible] this will be remedied and the Selby Shoe Company will then increase its daily output to [illegible] pairs of shoes, placing it in the front ranks as a shoe manufacturer and devoted exclusively to the manufacture of women's high grade shoes.

So great and insistent is the demand for Selby-made shoes that [illegible] has not had any slack [illegible] in three or four years. [illegible] even at the far end of a [illegible] is a lost art with this [illegible] them.

[illegible] it is with other shoe [illegible] the River City. [illegible] for several years has [illegible] had cause to worry about [illegible] work in Portsmouth. This [illegible] evidenced almost daily by [illegible] of shoeworkers, who [illegible] fame and fortune [illegible] factories [illegible] positions with [illegible] in this city and take up [illegible] positions with a smile [illegible] of willing hands. They [illegible] can do better in the [illegible] than in any others [illegible] country and immediately [illegible] themselves into a com[illegible] to drive the wander[illegible] out of this or that [illegible] labors under the [illegible] he can do better in [illegible].

Big Holiday Plan Cut Out

[illegible] Saturday the Brod Shoe [illegible] issued an edict that [illegible] a heavy run of orders [illegible] would in the future be [illegible] six days a week and [illegible] ever dawn on Saturday afternoons.

More Work At Plants

Selby and Excelsior plants [illegible] so busy that many of [illegible] workmen have been compelled [illegible] report for work at 6 [illegible] or work an hour extra at [illegible].

Tuesday was pay day with the [illegible] employes and almost $2[illegible] was distributed among them. [illegible] this firm takes over the Ex[illegible] buildings and equip them [illegible] sufficient machinery to turn [illegible] pairs of shoes every day [illegible] pay roll will touch the $25,[illegible] mark. Think of one firm [illegible] out $[illegible] monthly to [illegible] employes! One can readily see [illegible] position the immense Selby [illegible] holds in an industrial way [illegible] River City.

Stove Companies Have Big Year

[illegible] the shoe industry isn't the [illegible] that is flourishing in [illegible] old town. The Ohio Stove Co. [illegible] the Portsmouth Stove and [illegible] Company are rounding out [illegible] most satisfactory year in their [illegible]. The Ohio Stove Company received a jolt of [illegible] in the March flood but [illegible] has recovered from the setback [illegible] is going right ahead and is [illegible] six days in the week.

The Portsmouth Vulcan [illegible] Company, one of the [illegible] is humming merrily and [illegible] in all departments. This [illegible] is constantly adding to its [illegible] employes.

[illegible] practically all of the [illegible] that go to give Portsmouth [illegible] position of eminence in the in[illegible] world have had a very [illegible] factory year and are plan[illegible] bigger things in 1914 [illegible] industrial heart of the city [illegible] per cent. [illegible] year and every [illegible] twelfth month the future [illegible] speaking, will be of a [illegible] and 1914 will be [illegible] with the firm belief that [illegible] plants, the backbone and [illegible] of any city will pass [illegible] another period of [illegible] prosperity that will bene[illegible] employes as well as the em[illegible] and serve to further lift [illegible] city to a higher position on [illegible] industrial stick.

Mr. Distel Set Right

It develops that the fight which occurred Saturday night between Ott Hughes and Joe Mowry did not occur at the Louis Distel cafe, but happened on Boundary street. Hughes, it appears, is not employed at Louis Distel's saloon, but is a pinsetter at Joe Distel's bowling alleys and the fight had no connection with either place. Louis Distel engages a special officer to keep order in his place and tolerates no arguments or trouble of any kind.

New Residents.

M. E. T. Mills has moved his family from Dayton, O., to the Peerless City. He will occupy a home on Gallia street. Mr. Mills is a foreman on the new Excelsior building.

PEEBLES PLAT APPROVED

Judge George M. Osborn appeared before the county commissioners Tuesday afternoon seeking the approval of the commissioners to the plat of the Peebles addition to New Boston.

This addition begins at the corporation line of the city and connects with the streets of New Boston. Gallia avenue is straightened and made 60 feet wide, Rhodes and Stanton avenues are made 60 feet wide connecting with the avenues of the same name at New Boston proper. The cross streets are beginning at the city corporation line, Bach, Manning, Peebles, Finney and Stewart, these streets are all [illegible] wide. The addition contains 284 lots and with a few exceptions are 40 by 125 feet. The plat is an excellent one, the handiwork of Joseph W. Bosley, a civil engineer. The commissioners approved of same and it has been approved by the council of the village of New Boston.

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Births.

A baby girl was left at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Rickey of New Boston, Monday. The father, an employe of the [illegible] Company, was the happiest man on the [illegible] and received numerous congratulations from friends.

A son arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lochel, at New Boston, Monday.

A son was born [illegible] to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hoskins [illegible] side on Bond street. Mr. Hoskins is employed at the Portsmouth Panel and Veneer company.

BIG SENSATION AT STOCKDALE

The peaceful little village of Stockdale, Pike county, and nearby territory are all agog over the rumor of an alleged elopement that came to light a few days ago, in which a prominent farmer of that neighborhood and the wife of his close neighbor were the central figures. The matter will probably have its final airing in the courts, as it was reported that the wronged husband has consulted a Waverly attorney with a view of filing suit for damages against the despoiler of his home. Inquiry at Waverly Tuesday afternoon brought out the information that no such suit had been filed as yet.

The story which has set the tongues to wagging is that the man, one of the most prominent farmers in that neighborhood, and the woman, were discovered in a compromising position by the husband one day towards the latter part of last week. A stormy scene ensued, in which the couple were scathingly denounced by the irate husband, who announced his intention of obtaining redress in the courts.

Owing to the prominence of the couple, the matter has caused a genuine sensation in and around Stockdale, and it has formed the main topic of conversation for the past three days.

THIN FOLKS WHO WOULD BE FAT

Increase in Weight Ten Pounds or More

A PHYSICIAN'S ADVICE

"I'd certainly give most anything to be able to fat up a few pounds and stay that way," declares every excessively thin man or woman. Such a result is not impossible, despite past failures. Thin people are victims of malnutrition, a condition which prevents the fatty elements of food from being taken up by the blood as they are when the powers of nutrition are normal. Instead of getting into the blood, all the fat and flesh-producing elements stay in the intestines until they pass from the body as waste.

To correct this condition and to produce a healthy, normal amount of fat, the nutritive processes must be artificially supplied with the power which nature has denied them. This can best be accomplished by eating a Sargol tablet with every meal. Sargol is a scientific combination of six of the best strength-giving, fat-producing elements known to the medical profession. Taken with meals it mixes with the food and turns the sugars and starches into rich, ripe nourishment for the tissues and blood and its rapid effect is remarkable. Reported gains of from ten to twenty-five pounds in a single month are by no means infrequent. Yet its action is perfectly natural and absolutely harmless. Sargol is sold by The Fisher & Streich Pharmacy, Portsmouth, Ohio, and other good druggists everywhere, and every package contains a guarantee of weight increase or money back.

Caution: While Sargol has produced remarkable results in the treatment of nervous indigestion and general stomach disorders, it should not, owing to its remarkable flesh-producing effect, be used by those who are not willing to increase their weight ten pounds or more.

SOCIAL NEWS

Madame Schumann Heink, one of the most noted operatic singers on the stage, will be in Huntington next week and quite a number of her most ardent admirers here are making arrangements to attend the concert, which is sure to attract a brilliant audience.

Miss Cora Laubley has taken a position as clerk at Andersons' store to assist during the holiday rush.

Mrs. Gilbert Dodge and two sons are spending a few days at Mt. Joy the guests of relatives. Mrs. Dodge is the wife of the deputy county treasurer.

Mr. Horace Chapman and daughter, Mrs. Nelson Rose, of Columbus, were dinner guests today at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Small, on Sixth street, and left this afternoon for their home.

Mrs. Wells A. Hutchins' guest, Miss Robin Willard, left this afternoon for her home in Wellston.

Misses Goldie and Gladys Lantz have returned from a visit at Wheeler's Mills.

Miss McMichael, of Toronto, who has been the charming guest of Mrs. George Small, left this afternoon for Altamonte Springs, Florida, to spend the winter.

Mrs. Elias Stone and baby, George of Sewickley, Pa., is expected soon to be a holiday visitor at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wagner of Fourth street.

Mrs. Wirt Stalder, who has been seriously ill for the past few weeks with throat trouble is now able to be up part of each day. Her many friends are hoping for a speedy recovery.

Mrs. George D. Scudder's niece, Miss Antoinette Scudder, has gone to her home in Newark, N. J.

The T. B. C. will participate in a winter picnic Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Albert Jordan, on Eighth street.

W. E. Spence, tobacco [illegible] of Winchester, was in the city Monday on business.

HAMMER AND PAINT

Contractor Ed Russell will complete the new home of W. H. Hosey on Campbell avenue this week.

Kelley Bros. have completed the work of relaying the intersection of Third and Chillicothe streets. It was raised six inches and through the elevation it is thought the drainage will be much more satisfactory.

Campanini, Chief Musical Figure In The West

[illegible] Campanini, director of the Chicago Opera Company, who has just come [illegible] from Europe where he has made arrangements for great singers to be heard in Chicago this winter, will try to lift this city to the equal of New York in operatic matters. He will succeed if that can be done, for he is a man of tireless energy. As conductor for the Manhattan Opera House under Oscar Hammerstein he revolutionized opera in New York. The staid old Metropolitan company had to acknowledge the greatness of Campanini.

But New York will see him and his company during the season, as will Philadelphia and Boston. For [illegible] arrangements made for an [illegible] companies [illegible] many to those cities.

Mrs. Frank Shaffer Asks For Divorce

Attorneys Bach and Ball filed a suit for divorce and alimony in common pleas court Tuesday afternoon, in which Rachel Schaffer is plaintiff and Frank Schaffer defendant. The petition avers marriage in August, 1895, and four children, ranging from one to 15 years old.

Mrs. Schaffer alleges that her husband has been guilty of extreme cruelty, in that he has cursed and abused her, called her vile names and without cause has accused her of being unchaste, and that he has struck, beat and choked her, and on October 11, 1913, he drove her from home, and has since neglected to provide for her or the children, and has notified her that he will not provide for them.

They own considerable property and she asks that he be enjoined from disposing of any part thereof, or from interfering in any way with her or their children; that she be granted temporary alimony while the suit is pending, and that at a final hearing she may be granted a divorce, reasonable alimony and the custody of their children.

A temporary restraining order was granted by Judge Thomas enjoining the defendant from disposing of the property or interfering with plaintiff or their children.

Physician At Infirmary

Dr. H. F. Rapp was Tuesday afternoon elected by the county commissioners as the infirmary physician to succeed Dr. D. F. Hopkins, of Friendship. Dr. Rapp is located near Union Mills and those who know him most admit that the commissioners have made a good selection.

Buys Back Old Home

As a result of a deal closed Monday, J. E. Mackoy, of the Whitney-[illegible] Miller Company, comes into possession of his former homestead, located near Wheelersburg, which [illegible] included in the [illegible] tract recently sold by him to George Kenner [illegible]. Mr. Mackoy bought back the [illegible] and between [illegible] and [illegible] acres of land adjoining it.

[illegible] have placed the lower part of the [illegible] land [illegible] lots [illegible] of which have already been sold.

It was stated Tuesday that Mr. Mackoy has no plans in view at present for the property other than occupying it [illegible].

SAM SCHLOSS TO REOPEN STORE

Through a deal closed Tuesday Sam Schloss, who recently filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy, will be able to reopen [illegible]'s stationery store on Chillicothe street, which has been closed for three weeks. The stock of goods and fixtures were sold by the creditors to A. Schapiro for $1202 cash, which is fifty per cent of the appraised value. Mr. Schapiro will place Mr. Schloss in charge of the store, which will continue in business along former lines.

Reed Now In Cin'ti

Today's Enquirer carried a story chronicling the return of [illegible] Police William Sanford with Pan Reed from [illegible]. Reed was arrested in this city and held in the county jail until the arrival of the Cincinnati officer. Reed is charged with escaping and aiding others to escape from the Hamilton county jail.

CHECK FORGER IN THE TOILS

Attempting to pass an alleged forged check on several saloon keepers, Christian Krider, a German, 1222 Twelfth street, was arrested by Detective Bameus Tuesday afternoon. It was after Krider attempted to pass the bogus certificate for $10, drawn on the Central National bank and signed by David Stalder, a local hardware man, that Krider was taken into custody. It is claimed he also attempted to cash the check at the Grand hotel.

Krider had the check in his possession, made out to C. M. Mil[illegible] and endorsed by the same [illegible]. Mr. Stalder, in a [illegible] conversation with the police, denied [illegible] issued such a check.

OBITUARY

Kates Funeral

The remains of the late Mrs. Barbara Kates were laid to rest at Rarden Tuesday afternoon. Impressive services were conducted at the home prior to the interment.

On Business Trip.

Albert Bonnner left Tuesday morning for Cincinnati on a short business trip.

Charley Hall went to Cincinnati Tuesday on a short business trip in the interest of Hall Bros.

ARRESTED ON THEFT CHARGE

Charged with stealing $91 from his [illegible] and friend, M. [illegible] Sonoski, Hungarian employed in the plant of the Portsmouth Steel company will be given a hearing in Squire Byron's court tonight, at 7:30 o'clock. The complainant is Tony Odena, a Hungarian, who insists that Sando lopped his sale.

There will be nineteen interpreters [illegible] of Hungary [illegible] who [illegible] to Byron's court room [illegible] have [illegible] the introduction [illegible].

Sando was released on a $[illegible] bond, which was given by George Lantz.

Farmers Institute

The [illegible] Grange, of Pine Creek, will hold a Farmers' Institute on January [illegible] and [illegible], 1914.

Prof. H. W. [illegible] and Prof. J. K. Bangham, of the State Experiment Station, will be the speakers.

The farmers of the vicinity are becoming very much interested in the [illegible] and getting in line with the [illegible] of farming and a large attendance is expected.

STOLE BOLT OF CLOTH

A sneak thief, who evidently was in need of a new suit of clothes, entered F. M. Pride's tailor shop Monday night and departed with a bolt of goods valued at $15. Any clue? Certainly not.

Election Certificates

All signed up and ready for distribution the certificates of the successful nominees at the recent election are in the hands of James Distel, clerk of the board of elections, and they will be distributed in a few days. They are always held [illegible] days after the election.

Small Wreck On B. & O.

B. & O. S. W. employes had their troubles Tuesday when a box car jumped the track and then an engine twice became derailed from the rails.

Rome Visitor

Leroy Blackburn, a tobacco raiser, at Rome, O., was in the city Monday on business.

BOY SHOOTS HIMSELF

Placing 22 cartridges in the magazine of a toy pistol that was designed to shoot blanks resulted in Harvey Wingo, 13 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Pitt Wingo, of South Portsmouth, being shot through the left hand Monday. The bullet passed through the palm of the hand and inflicted a dangerous and painful wound.

Fine Entertainment

[illegible]

DEAD LOCK ON ELECTION OF SUPT.

At a meeting of the county commissioners held at the court house Tuesday afternoon, an attempt was made to elect a superintendent for the infirmary. Three candidates were named, Smith [illegible], George W. Jenkins and the present incumbent, John Hall. [illegible] ballots were taken and [illegible] election, each candidate receiving one vote, Mr. Bennett voting for Jenkins, Mr. Egbert for Mr. [illegible] and Mr. Spencer for Mr. Hall. After the three ballots were taken the matter was deferred until a later date.

DR. G. A. SULZER

In Portsmouth Thursdays and Fridays. Office 946 Second Street. Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat. adv.

Sentenced To Reform Farm

John R[illegible], who was sent to the [illegible] court from the police station, where he was charged with [illegible], has been ordered to the Boys' Industrial Home as he was [illegible] under a suspended sentence. He will be taken to Lancaster Wednesday morning.

Council To Meet

Council will meet in regular session Wednesday night. Several pieces of important legislation will likely come up for transaction.

Lawshe Visitor.

J. R. Edwards of Lawshe was in the city Monday the guest of relatives.

Clerks Will Elect

At the meeting of the Retail Clerks' Union tonight, the annual election of officers will be held. The [illegible] Walter Taylor and Henry Charlton [illegible] large [illegible] looked for.

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MORE FISH COMING

Members of the Scioto County Fish and Game Protective Association received word from Columbus Tuesday that another installment of 25,000 fish would be shipped within the next few days. They will be liberated in Brush Creek, Little Scioto and Pine Creek, the streams not having been stocked with fish in many years.

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[illegible]

Clear Complexion, Brightened Eyes, Blotches and other facial blemishes soon show the poisons are eliminated, the blood purified. With Pure Blood you have no disease.

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All the rage in the east and growing more popular every day.

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BANDIT MAY BE DEAD

Salt Lake City, Utah, Dec. 2.—That Rafael Lopez, Mexican murderer of six men, has been overcome by poisinous gases that have been sent into the mouth of the Apex mine since yesterday is the belief of guards today.

Pindell Is Re-Nominated

Washington, Dec. 2. Henry M. Pindell, the Peoria, Ill., publisher was renominated today by President Wilson for ambassador to Russia. Pindell's nomination failed in the extra session after it became a center of attention because of publication of certain alleged correspondence with Senator Lewis.

George Williams of Boston was nominated to be minister to Greece and Montenegro.

POTTERS IN SESSION.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Dec. 2.—More than 200 manufacturers, potters from Ohio, Pennsylvania, New York and New Jersey, assembled here today for the annual meeting of the United States Potters' association. Discussion of the possible effect of the new tariff on the industry and the tentative wage scale recently entered into with the National Brotherhood of Operative Potters were discussed.

Attempted Suicide

Harrisburg, Pa., Dec. 2.—Howland B. Mahany, former congressman from Buffalo, N. Y., and former minister to Ecquador, who attempted suicide here today admitted his identity to physicians at a local hospital. He said that he had come from Buffalo but declined to give any reason for his attempted suicide.

MURDER TRIAL

Marshall, Ky., Dec. 2.—With [illegible] attorneys [illegible] it was expected [illegible] case of Miss May [illegible] Lucien [illegible] jointly [illegible] murdering [illegible] Atkinson, [illegible] to the [illegible]

New Tack In The Cin'ti License Fight

Cincinnati, O., Dec. 2. Common Pleas Court Judge Cosgrave [illegible] day granted an alternative writ [illegible] of mandamus against the Board [illegible] Senator Reiner [illegible] for an order [illegible] the commission to appear [illegible] against the license commission in court Monday and show [illegible] did not grant a saloon license to [illegible] Chas. J. Seever. Seever was [illegible] those [illegible] granted licenses [illegible] refused later. [illegible] days and he asked [illegible]

TRY TO BLOW UP PLANT

Gallipolis, Dec. 2.—An attempt was made today to blow up the Treasure Stove Works of this city with dynamite, and was discovered just in time to save lives of many employees. Six sticks of dynamite was discovered by a molder in a mold which he was about to pour off. A strike for advance in wages occurred seven months ago, since which time non union men have operated the plant.

BOYS WOULDN'T SLEEP

Pittsburgh, Pa., Dec. 2.—Seven special trains from various parts of Ohio en route to Washington, D. C., with Ohio's corn-raising boys and home-making girls, arrived here early today and were shown the sights of the city.

"I never before have seen such a bunch of live ones," said a conductor on the train.

"They slept in relays all night and not one car the boys would not let the porter make up their berths."

"We don't want to sleep. Not on this trip," they said. Today the program consisted of breakfast at the Fort Pitt hotel and luncheon at the Heinz pickle factory. This afternoon the special will leave for Harrisburg, Pa.

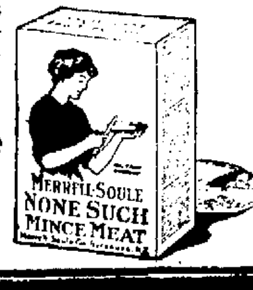
Gov. Cox was not with the corn boys and girls when they reached Pittsburgh. The governor and party were to have boarded the Toledo section of the special train at Orrville, O. Owing to a misunderstanding the train with a special coach attached dashed through Orrville at a 60-mile clip, leaving the governor and companions shivering on the platform. They took a later train, however and [illegible] the party [illegible] at noon.

C. & O. Wins In Its $300,000 Suit

Cincinnati, O., Dec. 2.—The Chesapeake & Ohio railroad won a victory in the United States circuit court of appeals here today when it ordered [illegible] to the district court [illegible] McKell case. The case was appealed from the decision of the district court [illegible] Thomas Mc[illegible] Kell from Chillicothe were given judgment for $300,000 against the railroad for alleged breach of contract. [illegible] The contention was [illegible]

Equity Association Gets Busy Again

Cleveland, O., Dec. 2.—[illegible] Equity association [illegible] compensation and [illegible]



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[illegible] license commissioner [illegible]

Tobacco Companies Receive Death Blow

Morganfield, Ky., Dec. 2—Verdicts of guilty were returned toda yaguinst the Imperial Tobacco Company of Great Britain and Ireland and the Imperial Tobacco Company of Kentucky which have been on trial for alleged violation of Kentucky's anti-trust laws. Two separate verdicts were returned and a fine of $3500 assessed against each defendant. The verdicts, if upheld it is said, will operate automatically forfeiture of charters of both companies to do business in Kentucky.

Ten Die In Wave

Belton, Texas, Dec. 2.—Ten persons were reported to have perished in a 30-foot wave which came without warning down Neal creek before daybreak. The creek runs through the city.

Fifty houses along the creek's course in Belton were swept away. In the heart of the town Mrs. W. V. Polk and her four children were caught asleep in their home and drown. Polk carrying the [illegible] to safety. Five fatalities, a man, his wife and three children were reported drowned in another family, that of a camper. His name was not known. When the main bridge in Temple, Texas, was demolished by the waves an unidentified man was on the structure. It is believed he perished. The creek's rise was the result of a down pour of four hours' duration.

SPECIMEN OF FINE MUSHROOM

Henry Faivre has on display in his shoe repairing shop on Chillicothe street a mushroom that is attracting considerable attention from [illegible] specimen of the Pluto variety, commonly known as the [illegible] and weighs two pounds. The [illegible] was found by Thomas [illegible] in his yard on East Second [illegible]

OFFERED $50,000

Quite a sensation was sprung in the baseball world Monday when it became public property that the Federal league officials had made Eddie Collins, of the Athletics, an offer of $50,000 if he would sign a three years' contract. It was turned down by the great second sacker of Connie Mack's world's champions.

NEW BOSTON

[illegible] Saturday [illegible]

J. H. [illegible] giving his house [illegible] their winter coat [illegible]

AUCTION

One lot good furniture, carpets, gas stoves, china, etc., contents of 5 room house, complete, consisting parlor, bed rooms, elegant dining room furniture, rugs and other goods, must be sold on the premises, 816 Seventh street, Thursday, Dec. 4th, at 2 p. m. prompt. By order owners.

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BURLESQUES COMING

"The Merry Burlesquers" will [illegible] the Grand for a single [illegible] on Saturday, December 11. [illegible] announcement being made Tuesday by the manager of the local theatre.

EX-CAPTAIN INDICTED

New York, Dec. 2—A former police captain, Dominick Riley, was indicted for bribery today by the grand jury in connection with the alleged conspiracy between the police and wire tapping swindlers. Riley is accused of accepting $[illegible] in return for granting the swindlers police protection.

AIR MAN IS KILLED

East Church, Kent, Eng., Dec. 2—Capt. Gilbert V. Kildman Lushington, commander of the British naval flying ground, was instantly killed here today.

The captain made a long flight on Saturday with Winston Spencer Churchill, first lord of the admiralty. Today he was flying with a brother officer, Capt. Henry Fawcett when the machine suddenly collapsed. Fawcett, who was piloting the machine, was only slightly hurt.

Plan Against More Floods

Cincinnati, Ohio, Dec. 2.—The board of army engineers appointed by Secretary of War Garrison to investigate the question of floods and flood prevention in the Ohio valley, met here today to draw up a comprehensive report. One of the maps shows that the drainage area of the Ohio river is [illegible] square miles.

Officers Elected

Officers for the ensuing year were chosen at the annual election of White Rose Council, No. 51, Degree of Pocahontas, held Monday evening. Mrs. Laura Parker was elected Pocahontas, while the other officers elected were as follows: Winona, Miss Sarah Hester; Powhattan, Mr. Charles Hester; Prophetess, Mrs. Mary Harding; Keeper of records, Mrs. May Wright; Collector of Wampum, Mrs. Mary Cottle; Keeper of Wampum, Mrs. Elizabeth Freshel; Trustee, Mrs. Maggie Hester.

The newly elected officers will be installed at the regular meeting of the order, Monday evening, Jan. 5th.

FRESH FISH
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Back From Trip

Carney Wells, who travels for the Irving Drew Shoe company, has rounded in from a trip through the Middlewest. During the holidays he will help out Hall Bros.

Elevator Is Here

The much delayed elevator for the new garage of Stanley Prichard arrived Monday, and it is being rapidly installed. Mr. Prichard will move into his new building next week.

Rev. E. J. Meacham Had Fine Audience

The auditorium at the First Christian church was crowded to its capacity Monday evening when Rev. E. J. Meacham, former pastor of the church, delivered his stereoptican lecture, entitled "Beauty Spots of America." The lecture was hugely enjoyed, and a large sum was realized for the church. It was given under the auspices of the Loyal Daughters of the church, and was a big success.

Rev. Meacham led his hearers across the continent, illustrating by means of stereoptican views the wondrous beauties of the garden spots of the United States. Beginning with the celebrated Plymouth Rock on the Atlantic coast, his hearers traveled with him to Philadelphia, where Independence Hall and the Liberty Bell still stand; to Washington, where the Congressional library, Capitol Building, White House, Smithsonian Institute and other public buildings were shown; through the beautiful valleys of old Virginia, across the Central States, through the Grand Canon of Colorado, Yellow National Park, the Yosemite Valley of California, and countless other scenes of equal splendor and magnificence.

Rev. Meacham accompanied the illustrated lecture with a graphic and thorough word description of the sights which he was showing, which added greatly to the enjoyment of the lecture.

Rev. Meacham was warmly greeted by his old parishoners, and he held an impromptu reception at the conclusion of the lecture. He now holds an important position on the editorial staff of the Outlook, a Sunday school publication published in Cincinnati, which holds the distinction of having the largest circulation of any periodical of its kind in the world. While here, Rev. Meacham was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Howland. He returned to Cincinnati Tuesday afternoon.

Buys Ford Machine.

Squire C. H. Walden of Sciotoville has joined the ranks of the motorists, and hereafter he will travel to and from the city in real style. He received a Ford touring car through the Friel agency Tuesday.

Here From Madison Twp.

Ex-Sheriff James S. Rickey of Madison township, was in the city Tuesday. Mr. Rickey is one of the largest stock dealers in Scioto county.

DIAMONDS FOR XMAS

Rings	$ 4.00 to $500.00
Pendants	$ 7.50 to $350.00
Tie Pins	$ 5.00 to $250.00
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Aurora Lodge No. 48, F. & A. M. will meet Thursday evening, Dec. 4 at 7 o'clock. Work in the Entered Apprentice degree. The directors of the Masonic Club will meet Friday evening, Dec. 5 for organization.

WANTED

WANTED:—Washing and ironing. Call at 905 11th St. 2-3

WANTED:—Girl clerk in grocery at 417 2nd St. Reference required. 1-3

WANTED:—By a middle aged woman, a good home. Call at 105 Front St. Florence Webb. 1-2

WANTED:—Clothing to clean and press. 75 cents to $1 per suit. Geo. Nease, 408 Market. (Swandar's old stand.) 28-6

WANTED:—At once young man about 16 years of age, to work in clothing store. Apply New Era Clothing Co., 306 Chillicothe street. 1-6

WANTED: — School teacher, Pl[illegible] Fork school, Lower N[illegible] township. Address Chas. Stockham, McGaw, O., 28-15t

WANTED:—Girls for general house work. Help Employment Bureau, 615 2nd St. Phone A 995. 25tf

WANTED:—Live, energetic boy, 16 to 18 years old for office work. Good position. Address Box 63, City. 7tf

WANTED:—The people to eat at the American Restaurant. Home cooking: at 740 5th St. Meals 25c. Tickets $4.50. 29-6

WANTED.—Roomers, all conveniences. Call at the American Restaurant, 740 5th. 29-6

NOTICE:— When you want prompt package delivery call Dick Bostwick. 12 Waller. Phone Y 404. 9tf

IF YOU NEED HELP—Call on us. We can get it for you. Help Employment Bureau, 615 2nd. Phone A 995. 11tf

WANTED:—To buy and sell second-hand furniture. Phone A-363 or Y 1365. 906 6th St. 17tf 17-tf

WANTED:—Carpets to clean. We make rugs out of old carpets. Portsmouth Carpet Cleaning Co., Revare & Klingman, Home phone 490. 20tf

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NOTICE:—To keep in health use L. Zuelle's pure wine, made on his farm. Call at jewelry store, 533 2nd. 1-6

AGENTS:—Four time winner. Holiday hot one. Get busy. Call at 521 Market St. Ask for Mr. Glick. 1-2

WANTED:—Girl for general house work in family of two at 718 2nd St. 29-3

WANTED:—Man to drive delivery wagon. Steady position for man well acquainted with city. C. P. Turner. Phone 79. 2-1

WANTED:—Boarders at 213 Washington within one-half square of car line. 2-3

WANTED:—An experienced girl at once for general house work. Apply 2103 8th St. 2-3

WANTED:—All ye bargain seekers to know that we are closing out our large new stock of ladies', gents', youths' and children's shoes, clothing and notions regardless of cost, at the Underselling Store, 525 2nd St. Will have public auction commencing at 1 o'clock p. m. Saturday, December 6. Will continue until 4 p. m. Will commence again at 7 p. m. and continue until 9 p. m. Each Saturday until all merchandise and fixtures are sold. G. M. Warder, Manager. 2-3

WANTED:—To buy a cheap sewing machine. Call B 483. 2-3

WANTED—3 unfurnished rooms in East End. Call 2028 Gallia or Phone X 1592. 2-2

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FOR SALE

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FOR SALE: New 5 room house with bath. Centrally located. $250 cash, balance on easy payments. Phone 1199. H. A. Bierley. 1-f

FOR SALE: Small gas range. 1306 Franklin. 1-3

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5 room cottage 17th, complete bath, gas, front and rear porches. Property in all parts of the city. Miss A. M. Kidd. 1506 Center. Phone 1579. 1-4

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5 room cottage, Washington $1450.

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4 room cottage. Grandview $2400.

7 room two story, Grandview $2[illegible].

6 room two story, bath, 17th $3400.

6 room two story, reception hall, bath, Summit $3[illegible].

5 room two story, bath, 18th St. $2550.

5 room two story, Robinson Ave. $1500.

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Large [illegible] cottage, Ninth St., near Offnere, two [illegible], sliding doors, pantry, [illegible], stable, fine location, on car line $2700

Large [illegible] room cottage, Fifth St., near [illegible], bath, pantry, [illegible], slate roof, house is storm sheeted, front and rear porch, cistern, [illegible], assessments all paid; a big bargain $3000

Large 6 room cottage, Robinson Ave., near Hutchins, bath, pantry, furnace, large lot, [illegible] and [illegible], newly painted and papered, [illegible] $3800

[illegible] $2550

[illegible] room cottage, Grandview Ave., near [illegible], water, gas, cistern $7450

[illegible] Robinson Ave., near [illegible], bath, large reception [illegible], hardwood floors, [illegible] and gas fixtures $3200

[illegible] room cottage, Seventh St., near [illegible], bath [illegible], front and rear porch; a bargain $1500

New [illegible] room cottage, Eighth St., near Lincoln, bath, pantry, hardwood, [illegible] electric and gas fixtures, front and rear porch $3000

New 5 room cottage, Oakland Ave., near car line, bath, [illegible], front and rear porch, in fine repair $2700

Large cement block cottage, Grandview Ave., [illegible], bath, [illegible], [illegible] white enamel, walls [illegible] finished and [illegible] decorated, front and rear porches, screens and awnings, worth $3500 .... $3000

Large [illegible] room cottage, Grandview Ave., bath, [illegible], pantry, [illegible], large [illegible], sliding doors, cabinet mantels, [illegible] storm sheeted $3200

[illegible] room cottage, Front St., near Chillicothe, [illegible] $1200

Large 5 room cottage, Tenth St., near [illegible], water, gas, cistern $1550

[illegible] room cottage, Fourteenth St. and [illegible], water, gas $1200

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[illegible] room cottage, Twelfth St., near [illegible] ....

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FOR SALE: Old papers. 5 cents per bundle. Apply at Times office. Nov 28-tf

FOR SALE: Small stock of groceries, corner room, low rent; fine trade. Phone 378. 28-6

FOR SALE—Grocery store, doing good business. Address W. O. care of Times. 28-tf

FOR SALE:—All kinds of property, all parts of town, all prices. Also farms for sale or trade. Office, Security Bank Bldg. Phone 1199. Office open every evening until December 1st. H. A. Bierley. 30-tf

FOR SALE:—One of the handsomest electric automobiles in the city, four passenger, original cost $2700. Will sell for less than half. For particulars and to see the machine call at Stanley Prichard's garage. 19tf

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FOR SALE:—Second hand machinery bought and sold. Inquire of D. Labold & Company, 12th and Chillicothe Sts. 17tf

FOR SALE: Or rent, 5 room house at Lakeside. Phone 5 on 627. 1-6

FOR SALE: A horse, buggy and cow cheap. Telephone 3570. 1-3

FOR SALE: 3 piece parlor suite and davenport, cheap if sold at once. Call at No. 1 Union St. Phone X 896. 1tf

FOR SALE:—Game chickens. 717 9th St. Phone Y 736. 25tf

FOR SALE:—Large second-hand window sashes; suitable for hot beds. Apply 1425 Second. 28-7

FOR SALE:—Fine Jersey cow, cheap for cash. Call 1742 Gallia St. 2-3

FOR SALE:—6 room two story house, 11th St., near Franklin Ave. Bath complete, hot and cold water, cistern, street assessment paid. Large pantry. December taxes paid. Two years' insurance transpired. This property is vacant. Ready to move in. See this house before you buy, $3360. P. W. Kilcoyne, 1218 Grandview, Phone A 1198. 1-3

FOR SALE:—Set of books "The Cavalier," from Dec. 28, 1912 up to present time, 808 Offnere. 2-2

FOR SALE: Oliver typewriter No. 5, first class condition, used about one year. $40 if sold at once. W. C. Collins, C. & O. ticket office. 2tf

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FOR RENT

FOR RENT:—2 furnished rooms for light house keeping, bath and phone, 1818 Grandview. 1-3

FOR RENT:—2 light house keeping rooms, 1313 6th. 1-2

FOR RENT:—6 room two story, modern house at 1120 Findlay St. Call at 919 Findlay St. 1-3

FOR RENT: 3 furnished rooms with bath for light house keeping on main car line. Phone B 730. 27tf

FOR RENT: Suite of rooms, nicely furnished, hot and cold water in rooms, one or two gentlemen. 717 8th St. 26tf

FOR RENT:—Suite of rooms for light house keeping; bath and all modern conveniences. 1724 Grandview. Phone Y 1121. 22tf

FOR RENT—Good large furnished room, two squares from post office. Call at 841 7th or Home phone A 616. 25tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished rooms for light house keeping 1115 Gay. Phone A 1178. 28-5

FOR RENT:—Furnished front light house keeping rooms, all conveniences. 1024 Gallia St. 23tf

FOR RENT:—Tarpaulins, all sizes at H. S. Grimes, Elk Bldg. 24tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished room with bath, 817 3rd. 29-3

FOR RENT:—2 furnished rooms; bath; all conveniences, 941 2nd 29-3

FOR RENT:—6 room house on Hill. See Frank Cunningham at Gallia St. Engine House. 29tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished room with bath, 518 5th. 28-3

FOR RENT:—Down stairs front room, southeast corner 5th and Washington. 29-3

FOR RENT:—6 room house on Mabert Road. Help Employment Bureau, 615 2nd St. Phone A 995. 25tf

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OBITUARY

Jarred Moore

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Cameron, of 1021 Chillicothe street, have returned from Vanceburg, where they attended the last rites of Jarred Moore, who was laid to rest Monday afternoon. He passed away Saturday, following a three week's illness with typhoid fever. Mr. Moore was a brother of Mrs. Lee Cameron and he was 42 years old.

Mr. Moore also leaves a wife, Mrs. Jesse Moore, and six children. The following sisters and brothers also survive: George Moore of Bond street, this city; Mrs. Eliza Casement, of Vanceburg; Mrs. George Dillon of Rome, Adams county; Henry and Joseph Moore of Adams county.

Mr. Moore was a splendid citizen and he left many dear friends in Vanceburg. He was a loving husband and father and his death is surrounded by sad circumstances.

Attorney T. N. Ross.

Attorney Thomas Nelson Ross, 54, one of the most prominent and widely known lawyers in Ironton, died Sunday evening at the Deaconess hospital in that city after a few days' illness with pneumonia.

He is survived by his mother, one brother, F[illegible] of Holland, Mass., and three sisters, Miss [illegible] A. Ross and Mrs. [illegible] Sara Ross, at home, and Mrs. [illegible] Thomas and Mrs. Alice [illegible], of this city. His wife, who was Mary C. Slattery, died about six years ago.

As a lawyer Mr. Ross achieved much prominence and was well known throughout the Ohio valley. He was probably the peer of any man at the bar in natural ability. When engaged in a case he gave it his undivided attention. As an orator he had no peers and few equals.

His funeral took place this morning at 9 o'clock, from the home of his mother on South Seventh street, Ironton.

Mrs. Barbara Kates

Funeral services over the body of Mrs. Barbara Kates, wife of Squire J. N. Kates of Barden, who passed away at her home after a lingering illness last Saturday evening, were held at the Kates home at Barden, Tuesday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Rev. A. D. Singer of Henley, conducted the services. Interment was made in the family lot at Newman cemetery, near Barden.

The six surviving children of the deceased officiated as pall bearers, Mrs. Minnie Keavey, of Barden; Mrs. T. J. McCann, of Cincinnati; Mrs. Headley Thomas of Dayton; Clyde C. Kates, of Dayton, James W. Kates of Barden, and Wiley A. Kates, common pleas court bailiff, of this city.

Relative Dead

Vallee Harold, one of the editors of The Times, left Tuesday afternoon for St. Louis to attend the funeral services of O. K. Clardy, a relative, who passed away Monday. Mr. Clardy was engaged in the insurance business and was quite successful.

Leichner Funeral

The pallbearers at the funeral services of the late Miss Margaret Leichner, who was laid to rest Monday afternoon were: Mrs. Charles Easterday, Mrs. Elliot Gaeller, Mrs. Finlay Morris, Mrs. Emma Nodler, Miss Emma Goeller and Miss Hattie Catlin. Miss Leichner was a most estimable young woman and the last rites were attended by many of her friends and acquaintances. Interment was made in Greenlawn cemetery. Dan Leichner, Jr., a brother of the deceased, arrived here from Lynn, Mass., for the funeral services.

Klingman Funeral

Business associates and intimate friends of the late Phillip Klingman who were in attendance at the funeral here Monday returned to their respective homes Tuesday afternoon. In the party were: Dudley Waters, in whose private car the remains were brought to Portsmouth, Boyd Pantlin, a lumber magnate of Grand Rapids; Charles P. Limbert, a prominent furniture dealer of Holland, Mass., and Grand Rapids, Mich., H. H. Mastin, manager of Mr. Klingman's furniture store, John H. Berger, of Cincinnati, and Mr. Shobert, of Charleston, W. Va. Mr. Waters is a prominent official of the Pere Marquette railway company. Mrs. Josephine Klingman, the widow, and Albert Klingman, a brother, also returned.

FOR RENT: Furnished rooms for light house keeping, 1812 Gallia. Phone X 221. 2-4

FOR RENT: Furnished rooms for light house keeping, 622 2nd. 2-5

FOR RENT: 2 furnished rooms 3[illegible] Front. 2-3

FOR RENT: Nice [illegible] furnished front room, 70[illegible] 5th, near Chillicothe. 2-3

FOR RENT: 2 furnished downstairs front rooms for light house keeping. 1010 Gallia. 2tf

FOR RENT: 2 furnished rooms for light house keeping, all conveniences. 616 4th. Phone B 951. 2-3

FOR RENT: 2 rooms furnished for light house keeping, bath, phone, 11[illegible] 3rd. 2tf

FOR RENT: 3 unfurnished rooms, bath, no children. 1502 Gallia, corner Gallia and Offnere. 2-2

FOR RENT: One room furnished for light house keeping, use of bath, no children. 947 9th St. 2tf

FOR RENT:—2 furnished rooms for light house keeping, 1118 Gallia. Phone B 968. 2tf

FOR RENT: 3 room flat, water and gas. 618 2nd. 1-2

FOR RENT:—Furnished rooms, 113 Jefferson. 1-3

FOR RENT Unfurnished rooms, 1822 11th. 1-3

FOR RENT—4 rooms corner 11th and Robinson. J. M. Augustine. Phone X 1168. 1-3

FOR RENT: One nice room furnished for light house keeping at 1526 Robinson Ave. Phone Y 1131. 1-2

FOR RENT: One furnished room with or without board, all conveniences. Call 1548 11th St. 21-tf

FOR RENT:—Five room house, rear of 1120 Kendall avenue. Telephone 62 or call at 1125 Kendall. 12tf

FOR RENT—Modern 4 room flat, private entrance, front and back; hot and cold water in kitchen, large porch in rear; use of bath $18 per month. 1307 Hutchins St. Phone A 564. 20tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished room, private entrance. 536 11th St. 25tf

FOR RENT:—2 nicely furnished rooms, hot and cold water in room, bath, telephone, etc. 1024 2nd St. Gentlemen only. 23tf

LOST

LOST: Check payable to water works. Signed W. M. Knight. Return 716 West 10th St. Reward. 2-5

LOST:—Bunch of keys. Return to 1727 Offnere St. for reward. 2-2

LOST:—Tuesday morning early, paper dollar. Return Harold Scott "Times Star" carrier 720 10th. Reward. 2-2

LOST:—Gold tie pin, red set. Return Lehman's shoe store. Reward. 28tf

LOST:—A plain gold watch with inscription "Ike, 1907" engraved on back. Finder phone X 1234. 29-3

LOST:—One dollar bill on John, Findlay, Gallia or Gay streets. Finder return to 809 John St. 1-3

FOUND:—Postage stamps. Give description and obtain by calling Phone A 1085. 2-2

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BIG FEATURE AT COLUMBIA

Tonight will be your last chance to see the world's series games between the Giants and Athletics at the Columbia theatre. The pictures are vivid and clear and the cozy theatre was crowded to the doors at every performance last night to see the 2,000 feet of films. McGraw and Connie Mack seemed to be the favorites last night, although the great Christy Mathewson and the weird but crafty Chief Bender came in for their share of applause.

The players on both teams are easily distinguished and the plays could easily be followed.

Besides the world's series games, the management has another fine picture. All in all, the attraction is one of the best ever brought to the Columbia.

A. D. Henneke & Co., Interior Decorators, 837 Sixth St. Phone X 967. adv 19tf

William H. Doherty of Fourth and Gay streets has been issued a hunter's license by R. H. Allen, clerk of Clay township.

Paying Taxes.

Waren Toland, of Madison township, was in the city Tuesday, to contribute his share toward paying the running expenses of the county.

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Miss Dolly Wise

She is here to answer any and all questions concerning love, matrimony, troubles, work, etiquette, etc. Inquiries should be addressed to Miss Dolly Wise, care The Daily Times, Portsmouth, Ohio.

Ironton, Ohio. Dear Miss Wise:—I am a boy 19 years of age and live on Fifth avenue in the city of Ironton, O. I correspond with a young girl friend in Portsmouth, and every time I receive a letter from her she always asks the question, "Why is a cow?" If you will be kind enough to tell me the answer, I will certainly appreciate it. Thanking you in advance, I remain, your affectionate friend,
JOHNNY ROUNDTHECORNER

P. S. If it would not be too much trouble please send me the names of some of the young ladies of the "Cheerless" City of Portsmouth.

Nobody but an Ironton Johnnie would have to ask "Why Is a Cow." It's the up-to-date Broadway to convey a gentle hint that a fellow has come to the jumping off place—must either propose or step aside. Sorry I cannot give you any names of our girls. If I did they would surely be in for a "Cheerless" time waiting on a slow poke like you to keep up with them. We're all up to date down here.

Dear Miss Wise:—When you receive an announcement of a birth is it necessary to send the baby a present?
SWEET MARIE.

You are not expected to send a gift, though you may if you wish. Baby pins, a spoon, any piece of clothing or a pillow or blanket for its cart would do.

Dear Miss Wise:—How can I persuade my papa to let me have a party. I have asked him several times and he always says, "I will see."
LITTLE DARLING.

Perhaps your father is one of the old fashioned kind. Get your mother to intercede for you, Little Darling. Perhaps she can persuade him to consent.

Dear Miss Wise: Is buttermilk good for the skin, or will it cause wrinkles?
BEAUTY SEEKER.

Buttermilk is indeed very good for the health in general, for the blood and should aid your complexion. There is no reason why it should cause wrinkles.

Dear Miss Dolly Wise: If an old friend drives past your home with another girl, is it because he thinks he is making a great showing or just to get one more look for old times sake.
BRIGHT EYES.

How do you know he drove past your house, Bright Eyes? I hope you wasn't watching and waiting for him. The chances are he never thought of you or didn't even know he was on your street. Still he might have passed just to let you know he could get another girl.

Dear Dolly: Is it all right for a girl to call a fellow up over the phone if he tells her to sometimes?
HENRIETTA.

I wouldn't do it, Henrietta. Boys think it smart to have girls call them up. They then go about and complain that the girls are running after them.

Dear Miss Wise:—I am very bashful, especially when with gentleman friends. How can I overcome this?
BESS.

Stop thinking about your own feelings, my dear. Don't think that every one is watching you all the time to see what you do. They don't. They are too busy thinking of something more important to themselves. Try to be interesting to others and you will forget about yourself.

Dear Miss Wise: What is the proper thing for a young man to say when asking a lady to be his bride?
HERBY

Whatever is in his heart. He will probably tell you that he loves her and wishes her for his wife. I thought you had got married.

her long ago, Dolly.

Dear Miss Wise:—Do you think that rosewater, glycerine and lemon juice will whiten the face and hands?
BARBARA.

Not very much. Use pure lemon juice or slightly diluted with rosewater, to take off tan.

Dear Miss Wise:—Please tell me how to clean a white muff. The fur is badly soiled and it seems to me you ought to know of some way of cleaning it, you know so much other stuff.
TIMES READER.

I am told that white furs may be cleaned with gasoline—plenty of it. Sponge several times if the gasoline becomes clouded. Have no artificial light in the room during the operation.

Dear Dolly: Will this egg get thick after using at one shampoo?
DOROTHY

The egg shampoo keeps the hair in good condition, but does not make the hair grow particularly. Eggs are too high now to be wasting the [illegible] Dorothy.

Dear Miss Wise: Please tell me how to remove [illegible] and pictures from porcelain glass.
AMATEUR PHOTOGRAPHER

First coat the glass with copal varnish. Place piece on the pictures, face downward, smoothly and tightly. Place weight on back of glass. Now dampen the paper slightly, and rub until the image becomes transparent. Lift the paper to be looked at through the glass.

SOCIETY

(By Mrs. Harley E. Marconnet.)

Not since the coming of David Bispham two years ago has the musicale interest in Portsmouth been so thoroughly aroused and the people so ready to pay homage to the choice of an entire celebrity.

The selection of Evan Williams for this special concert under the auspices of the Ladies' Musicale, was a most happy one and will do its members deserve the praise of an appreciative public.

The pleasing personality of the man, his freedom from affectation and mannerisms, won him a secure place with the audience from the first number until the closing one.

His voice, an organ of wonderful range and power, lent itself perfectly to the requirements of the vast auditorium and left nothing to be desired by those who were held in the spell of his magic art.

In breadth of interpretation, enunciation and dramatic intensity, Evan Williams is supreme.

Every number on his program was a gem and gave ample opportunity for his artistic shading and tone coloring. Although suffering somewhat from a cold in the middle register of his voice, he generously responded to the demands of the audience and gave several encores, none more touchingly beautiful than "A Perfect Day," by Carrie Jacobs Bond. When again singing that aria by the enraptured Handel, "Sound An Alarm," even with such fire and intensity of voice which again [illegible] Haydn, with its characteristic wordiness, when again the "Morning Zephyrs," by Jensen, with such delicacy and sweetness of tone.

The evening of song will long linger in the memory of those who were fortunate enough to be present in the magnificent auditorium at Rickbow last night. [illegible] who were unable to attend [illegible] hope at some [illegible] pleasure may be theirs.

Guests from many surrounding towns were seated by the [illegible] hostess hostess in [illegible] family parties and [illegible] you ever heard of home [illegible] on very comfortable [illegible] audience room [illegible]

The ballroom [illegible] been the scene of the [illegible] gatherings was transformed [illegible] Musicale by the [illegible] other local and [illegible] located [illegible] Even that this [illegible] such pleasant events [illegible] for an [illegible] art so [illegible]

[illegible]

Where Did You Walk [illegible] Boston, Sweet As Yours [illegible]

Ar, Love But a Day, Dance [illegible] Heart Up to Date, the Years [illegible] The Sunny Pathway [illegible] Wandering [illegible] Song. He [illegible]

Mrs. [illegible] Soule Graham, Mrs. [illegible] Hamilton Harty [illegible] The Victor [illegible] Kerr.

A Spring Flower, Campbell-[illegible] Tipton, Tenor [illegible] La Bohème, Puccini.

The Hamilton Wise club met in regular session [illegible] afternoon at the home of Mrs. Leslie Turley. The officers were Mrs. Frank Kendall and Miss Kate Kinney. Mrs. J. L. Watkins will be hostess at the next meeting.

The Bring Up society of the German Evangelical church met in business session [illegible] evening in the Stanley second room and elected officers as follows: President, Frank Rose; vice president, John Newsom; secretary, Mary Miller; treasurer, Emma Hengen. Arrangements were made for a social [illegible]

Mrs. Ellen Watson who makes her home at the Home for Aged Women, recently had as guests her children, Mrs. Mary McGowen of Coffeyville, Mrs. A. H. Henderson of Middle City, Ohio, Miss Fannie Watson of Portland, Ohio, and Mr. Leo Watson of Martins Ferry, who have departed for their homes.

Miss Lillian Thomas' pupils, Miss Mary Morgan left to-day for [illegible] in Dancing.

The Home Library [illegible] the next meeting Thursday afternoon, December [illegible] at the home of Mrs. Perry [illegible]

[illegible]

Mrs. A. [illegible] president of the N. W. [illegible] of Woodsfield, [illegible] Mrs. Frank Hedges, Mrs. Owen Hedges, of Lucasville, Mrs. [illegible] Street, Mrs. [illegible] Street, Mrs. [illegible] Street

HUERTA MUST GO DECLARES PRESIDENT IN HIS MESSAGE

THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE TO CONGRESS ::

PRESIDENT WILSON

Chief Executive Discusses the Mexican Crisis, the Currency Bill, the Sherman Law, Nomination of President by Direct Vote at Primaries and Other Matters of Importance.

Washington, D. C.—In his message, read at a joint session of the congress at the beginning of the special session of the Sixty-third congress, President Wilson urged [illegible] currency legislation, devoted [illegible] space to the needs of the [illegible] and referred to the Mexican [illegible]. The Sherman antitrust law, he [illegible] should be changed so that its [illegible] meaning would be clearer. The [illegible] also urged the choice of [illegible] dential nominees by the direct [illegible] the people expressed at primaries. The message in full is as follows:

[illegible] of the Congress—In pursuance of my constitutional duty to [illegible] the congress information of [illegible] of the Union" I take the liberty of addressing you on several matters [illegible] ought, as it seems to me, [illegible] to engage the attention of [illegible] the body, as of all who [illegible] welfare and progress of the [illegible].

[illegible] your indulgence if I [illegible] in some degree from the [illegible] of setting before you [illegible] the many matters which [illegible] the attention and called [illegible] of the several departments [illegible] the government or which [illegible] them for early treatment in [illegible], because the list is long, [illegible] would suffer in the [illegible] to which I should have to [illegible]. I shall submit to you the [illegible] the heads of several departments which these subjects are set [illegible] details and beg that [illegible] receive the thoughtful attention [illegible] committees and of all [illegible] of the congress who may [illegible] desire to study them. Their [illegible], as constituting the [illegible] of the business of the [illegible], makes comment and [illegible] part unnecessary.

[illegible] TREATIES RATIFIED.

[illegible] United States Leads In Peace Negotiations.

[illegible], I am thankful to say, is [illegible] all the world, and many [illegible] manifestations multiply about us [illegible] cordiality and sense of [illegible] of interest among the nations [illegible] foreshadowing an age of settled [illegible] good will. More and more [illegible] decade do the nations [illegible] willingness to bind them [illegible] solemn treaty to the processes [illegible] the processes of frank [illegible] for concession. So far the [illegible] has stood at the front of [illegible]. She will, I earnestly [illegible] confidently believe, give [illegible] her sincere adherence to [illegible] of international friendship [illegible] the several treaties of ar[illegible] awaiting renewal by the senate.

[illegible] to those it has been the [illegible] the department of state to [illegible] in principle, of no less [illegible] nations, representing [illegible] the population of the [illegible] the negotiation of treaties by [illegible] shall be agreed that whenever [illegible] of interest or of policy arise [illegible] be resolved by the ordinary [illegible] of diplomacy they shall [illegible] analyzed, discussed and re[illegible] by a tribunal chosen by [illegible] before either nation deter[illegible] course of action.

[illegible] only one possible standard [illegible] to determine controversies [illegible] the United States and other [illegible] that is compounded of [illegible] elements our own honor [illegible] obligations to the peace of the [illegible]. A test so compounded ought [illegible] to be made to govern both the establishment of new treaty obligations and the interpretation of those already assumed.

PRIMARY NOMINATIONS FOR THE PRESIDENCY.

I urge the prompt enactment of legislation which will provide for primary elections throughout the country at which the voters of the several parties may choose their nominees for the presidency without the intervention of nominating conventions. I venture the suggestion that this legislation should provide for the retention of party conventions, but only for the purpose of declaring and accepting the verdict of the primaries and formulating the platforms of the parties, and I suggest that these conventions should consist not of delegates chosen for this single purpose, but of the nominees for congress, the nominees for vacant seats in the senate of the United States, the senators whose terms have not yet closed, the national committees and the candidates for the presidency themselves, in order that platforms may be framed by those responsible to the people for carrying them into effect.

HUERTA MUST GO.

Predicts Downfall of "Usurper" Who Cast Aside Even Pretense of Legal Right and Declared Himself Dictator.

There is but one cloud upon our horizon. That has shown itself to the south of us and hangs over Mexico. There can be no certain prospect of peace in America until General Huerta has surrendered his usurped authority in Mexico. Until it is understood on all hands, indeed, such pretended governments will not be countenanced or dealt with by the government of the United States. We are the friends of constitutional government in America. We are more than its friends; we are its champions, because in no other way can our neighbors to whom we would wish in every way to make proof of our friendship work out their own development in peace and liberty.

Mexico has no government. The attempt to maintain one at the City of Mexico has broken down, and a mere military despotism has been set up which has hardly more than the semblance of national authority. It originated in the usurpation of Victoriano Huerta, who, after a brief attempt to play the part of constitutional president, has at last cast aside even the pretense of legal right and declared himself dictator. As a consequence a condition of affairs now exists in Mexico which has made it doubtful whether even the most elementary and fundamental rights either of her own people or of the citizens of other countries resident within her territory can long be successfully safeguarded and which threatens if long continued to imperil the interests of peace, order and tolerable life in the lands immediately to the south of us.

Even if the usurper had succeeded in his purposes, in despite of the constitution of the republic and the rights of its people, he would have set up nothing but a precarious and hateful power which could have lasted but a little while and whose eventual downfall would have left the country in a more deplorable condition than ever. But he has not succeeded. He has forfeited the respect and the moral support even of those who were at one time willing to see him succeed. Little by little he has been completely isolated. By a little every day his power and prestige are crumbling, and the collapse is not far away. We shall not, I believe, be obliged to alter our policy of watchful waiting. And then, when the end comes, we shall hope to see constitutional order restored in distressed Mexico by the concert and energy of such of her leaders as prefer the liberty of their people to their own ambitions.

VIEWS ON CURRENCY BILL.

Urges Measure That Will Prove Benefit to Farmers—Hopes For Quick Action.

I turn to matters of domestic concern. You already have under consideration a bill for the reform of our system of banking and currency, for which the country waits with impatience, as for something fundamental to its whole business life and necessary to set credit free from arbitrary and artificial restraints. I need not say how earnestly I hope for its early enactment into law. I take leave to beg that the whole energy and attention of the senate be concentrated upon it till the matter is successfully disposed of. And yet I feel that the request is not needed—that the members of that great house need no urging in this service to the country.

I present to you in addition the urgent necessity that special provision be made also for facilitating the credits needed by the farmers of the country. The pending currency bill does the farmers a great service. It puts them upon an equal footing with other business men and masters of enterprise, as it should, and upon its passage they will find themselves quit of many of the difficulties which now hamper them in the field of credit. The farmers of course ask and should be given no special privilege, such as extending to them the credit of the government itself. What they need and should obtain is legislation which will make their own abundant and substantial credit resources available as a foundation for joint, concerted, local action in their own behalf in getting the capital they must use. It is to this we should now address ourselves.

It has, singularly enough, come to pass that we have allowed the industry of our farms to lag behind the other activities of the country in its development. I need not stop to tell you how fundamental to the life of the nation is the production of its food. Our thoughts may ordinarily be concentrated upon the cities and the hives of industry, upon the cries of the crowded market place and the clangor of the factory, but it is from the quiet interspaces of the open valleys and the free hillsides that we draw the sources of life and of prosperity, from the farm and the ranch, from the forest and the mine. Without these every street would be silent, every office deserted, every factory fallen into disrepair.

And yet the farmer does not stand upon the same footing with the forester and the miner in the market of credit. He is the servant of the seasons. Nature determines how long he must wait for his crops and will not be hurried in her processes. He may give his note, but the season of its maturity depends upon the season when his crop matures and lies at the gates of the market where his products are sold. And the security he gives is of a character not known in the broker's office or as familiarly as it might be on the counter of the banker.

The agricultural department of the government is seeking to assist as never before to make farming an efficient business, of wide co-operative effort, in quick touch with the markets for foodstuffs. The farmers and the government will henceforth work together as real partners in this field, where we now begin to see our way very clearly and where many intelligent plans are already being put into execution.

The treasury of the United States has by a timely and well considered distribution of its deposits facilitated the moving of the crops in the present season and prevented the scarcity of available funds too often experienced at such times. But we must not allow ourselves to depend upon extraordinary expedients. We must add the means by which the farmer may make his credit constantly and easily available and command when he will the capital by which to support and expand his business. We lag behind many other great countries of the modern world in attempting to do this. Systems of rural credit have been studied and developed on the other side of the water while we left our farmers to shift for themselves in the ordinary money market. You have but to look about you in any rural district to see the result, the handicap and embarrassment which have been put upon those who produce our food.

Conscious of this backwardness and neglect on our part, the congress recently authorized the creation of a special commission to study the various systems of rural credit which have been put into operation in Europe, and this commission is already prepared to report. Its report ought to make it easier for us to determine what methods will be best suited to our own farmers. I hope and believe that the committees of the senate and house will address themselves to this matter with the most fruitful results, and I believe that the studies and recently formed plans of the department of agriculture may be made to serve them very greatly in their work of framing appropriate and adequate legislation.

It would be indiscreet and presumptuous in any one to dogmatize upon so great and many sided a question, but I feel confident that common counsel will produce the results we must all desire.

URGES CURRENCY REFORM TO BENEFIT THE FARMER.

President Wilson in his message urges the immediate passage of currency legislation. He asserts that business interests of the nation are waiting on the expected law before making large new investments or developing resources. The president also calls attention to conditions as they exist at present, which make it very difficult for the farmer to finance his crop. He urges in his annual message provisions that will safeguard the farmer, help his credit and prevent a repetition of the necessity for the government to deposit large sums of money in the southern and western states so as to aid the producer, as was the case last fall.

UPHOLDS ANTI-TRUST LAW.

Recommends That It Be Supplemented With More Explicit Legislation to Facilitate Its Administration.

Turn from the farm to the world of business which centers in the city and in the factory, and I think that all thoughtful observers will agree that the immediate service we owe the business communities of the country is to prevent private monopoly more effectually than it has yet been prevented. I think it will be easily agreed that we should let the Sherman anti-trust law stand, unaltered, as it is, with its debatable ground about it, but that we should as much as possible reduce the area of that debatable ground by further and more explicit legislation, and should also supplement that great act by legislation which will not only clarify it but also facilitate its administration and make it fairer to all concerned.

No doubt we shall all wish, and the country will expect, this to be the central subject of our deliberations during the present session, but it is a subject so many sided and so deserving of careful and discriminating discussion that I shall take the liberty of addressing you upon it in a special message at a later date than this. It is of capital importance that the business men of this country should be relieved of all uncertainties of law with regard to their enterprises and investments and a clear path indicated which they can travel without anxiety. It is as important that they should be relieved of embarrassment and set free to prosper as that private monopoly should be destroyed. The ways of action should be thrown wide open.

FAVORS DIRECT ELECTIONS.

Would Retain Conventions, Delegates to Be Nominees For Office, Whose Duty It Would Be to Frame Platforms.

I turn to a subject which I hope can be handled promptly and without serious controversy of any kind. I mean the method of selecting nominees for the presidency of the United States. I feel confident that I do not misinterpret the wishes or the expectations of the country when I urge the prompt enactment of legislation which will provide for primary elections throughout the country at which the voters of the several parties may choose their nominees for the presidency without the intervention of nominating conventions. I venture the suggestion that this legislation should provide for the retention of party conventions, but only for the purpose of declaring and accepting the verdict of the primaries and formulating the platforms of the parties, and I suggest that these conventions should consist not of delegates chosen for this single purpose, but of the nominees for congress, the nominees for vacant seats in the senate of the United States, the senators whose terms have not yet closed, the national committees and the candidates for the presidency themselves, in order that platforms may be framed by those responsible to the people for carrying them into effect.

PHILIPPINE CONTROL.

Must Hold Ultimate Independence In View and Strive to Fit Filipinos For Self Government at Future Date.

These are all matters of vital domestic concern, and besides them, outside the charmed circle of our own national life in which our affections command us, as well as our consciences, there stand out our obligations toward our territories over sea. Here we are trustees. Porto Rico, Hawaii, the Philippines, are ours, indeed, but not ours to do what we please with. Such territories, once regarded as mere possessions, are no longer to be selfishly exploited; they are part of the domain of public conscience and of serviceable and enlightened statesmanship.

We must administer them for the people who live in them and with the same sense of responsibility to them as toward our own people in our domestic affairs. No doubt we shall successfully enough bind Porto Rico and the Hawaiian Islands to ourselves by ties of justice and interest and affection, but the performance of our duty toward the Philippines is a more difficult and debatable matter. We can satisfy the obligations of generous justice toward the people of Porto Rico by giving them the ample and familiar rights and privileges accorded our own citizens in our own territories and our obligations toward the people of Hawaii by perfecting the provisions for self government already granted them, but in the Philippines we must go further. We must hold steadily in view their ultimate independence, and we must move toward the time of that independence as steadily as the way can be cleared and the foundations thoughtfully and permanently laid.

Acting under the authority conferred upon the president by congress, I have already accorded the people of the islands a majority in both houses of their legislative body by appointing five instead of four native citizens to the membership of the commission. I believe that in this way we shall make proof of their capacity in counsel and their sense of responsibility in the exercise of political power and that the success of this step will be sure to clear our view for the steps which are to follow.

Step by step we should extend and perfect the system of self government in the islands, making test of them and modifying them as experience discloses their successes and their failures; that we should more and more put under the control of the native citizens of the archipelago the essential instruments of their life, their local instrumentalities of government, their schools, all the common interests of their communities and so by counsel and experience set up a government which all the world will see to be suitable to a people whose affairs are under their own control.

At last, I hope and believe, we are beginning to gain the confidence of the Filipino peoples. By their counsel and experience, rather than by our own, we shall learn how best to serve them and how soon it will be possible and wise to withdraw our supervision. Let us once find the path and set out with firm and confident tread upon it, and we shall not wander from it or linger upon it.

PROBLEM IN ALASKA.

Urges Development by Nation of Natural Resources and Full Territorial Form of Government.

A duty faces us with regard to Alaska which seems to me very pressing and very imperative; perhaps I should say a double duty, for it concerns both the political and the material development of the territory. The people of Alaska should be given the full territorial form of government, and Alaska, as a storehouse, should be unlocked. One key to it is a system of railways. These the government should itself build and administer, and the ports and terminals it should itself control in the interest of all who wish to use them for the service and development of the country and its people.

But the construction of railways is only the first step; is only thrusting in the key to the storehouse and throwing back the lock and opening the door. How the tempting resources of the country are to be exploited is another matter, to which I shall take the liberty of from time to time calling your attention, for it is a policy which must be worked out by well considered stages, not upon theory, but upon lines of practical expediency. It is part of our general problem of conservation. We have a freer hand in working out the problem in Alaska than in the states of the Union, and yet the principle and object are the same wherever we touch it. We must use the resources of the country, not lock them up.

There need be no conflict or jealousy as between state and federal authorities, for there can be no essential difference of purpose between them. The resources in question must be used, but not destroyed or wasted; used, but not monopolized upon any narrow idea of individual rights as against the abiding interests of communities. That a policy can be worked out by conference and concession which will release these resources and yet not jeopard or dissipate them I for one have no doubt, and it can be done on lines of regulation which need be no less acceptable to the people and government of the nation at large whose heritage these resources are. We must bend our counsels to this end. A common purpose ought to make agreement easy.

PRESIDENT MAKES KNOWN HIS PHILIPPINE POLICY.

President Wilson's policy toward the Philippine Islands is made clear in his message. He urges the development of the Philippines, always keeping in view ultimate independence of the islanders. While he does not believe they are ready for self government today he believes that eventually they will be. He points out agreement that has recently been made by calling attention to the fact that more natives have been appointed on the Philippine commission than was the case previously.

EMPLOYER'S LIABILITY ACT.

Urges Legislation to Safeguard Workmen Both on Land and Sea—Points Out Needed Economical Reforms.

Three or four matters of special importance and significance I beg that you will permit me to mention in closing.

Our bureau of mines ought to be equipped and empowered to render even more effectual service than it renders now in improving the conditions of mine labor and making the mines more economically productive as well as more safe. This is an all important part of the work of conservation, and the conservation of human life and energy lies even nearer to our interest than the preservation from waste of our material resources.

We owe it in mere justice to the railway employees of the country to provide for them a fair and effective employer's liability act; and a law that we can stand by in this matter will be [illegible] to the advantage of those who administer the railroads of the country than to the advantage of those whom they employ. The experience of a large number of the states abundantly proves this.

We ought to devote ourselves to meeting pressing demands of plain justice like this as earnestly as to the accomplishment of political and economic reforms. Social justice comes first. Law is the machinery for its realization and is vital only as it expresses and embodies it.

An international congress for the discussion of all questions that affect safety at sea is now sitting in London at the suggestion of our own government. So soon as the conclusions of that congress can be learned and considered we ought to address ourselves, among other things, to the prompt alleviation of the very unsafe, unjust and burdensome conditions which now surround the employment of sailors and render it extremely difficult to obtain the services of spirited and competent men such as every ship needs if it is to be safely handled and brought to port.

May I not express the very real pleasure I have experienced in co-operating with this congress and sharing with it the labors of common service to which it has devoted itself so unreservedly during the past seven months of uncomplaining concentration upon the business of legislation? Surely it is a proper and pertinent part of my report on "The State of the Union" to express my admiration for the diligence, the good temper and the full comprehension of public duty which has already been manifested by both the houses, and I hope that it may not be deemed an impertinent intrusion of myself into the picture if I say with how much and how constant satisfaction I have availed myself of the privilege of putting my time and energy at their disposal alike in counsel and in action.

WOODROW WILSON.

Oyster Shells as Medicine.

Ground oyster shells were given by the medieval doctors to children suffering from rickets and scrofula. Now it appears that they were right. The shells contain lime, nitrogen, iron, sulphur, manganese, magnesia, fluor, bromide, phosphoric acid and iodine, all excellent for feeble children. They say that if growing children were to take powdered oyster shells in their food the teeth would be improved.

Ex-Marshal Goes On Rampage At Rarden

[illegible]

NO STOMACH MISERY, INDIGESTION, GAS, SOURNESS--PAPE'S DIAPEPSIN

TIME IT! IN FIVE MINUTES YOUR SICK, UPSET STOMACH FEELS FINE.

[illegible]

PRAISES PORTSMOUTH

William Tomatin, of the firm of [illegible] Bros., Cincinnati, [illegible] this afternoon after [illegible] the square [illegible] a branch plant looking over Portsmouth with a view of opening [illegible] and the probabilities are [illegible]. He was very favorably impressed [illegible] in the spring. He thinks Portsmouth is the most prosperous little city he ever [illegible].

While here Mr. Tomatin was the guest of Sam Greenberg, his uncle, who conducts the Greenberg store on Market street. Mr. Greenberg is prospering and wants his friends to get a share of the business in the best town on [illegible].

Dog That Bit Miss Appel Had Rabies

Word came from the state board of [illegible] Tuesday that the pet dog of Miss Margaret Appel, which sank its teeth in her [illegible] week was afflicted with the rabies and Miss Appel has already started to take the serum treatment provided by this board.

Ninety nine cases out of a hundred respond to it almost instantaneously and Miss Appel and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George M. Appel, have explicit faith in the serum and expect it to do the work cut out for it very effectively. Miss Appel remains bright and cheerful and no untoward symptoms [illegible] looked for [illegible] unpleasant experience. There are 21 shots of the serum to be administered and Miss Appel has already taken nine of them.

Mr. Carr Was Wise

For several days the police have [illegible] quietly [illegible] at the man [illegible] looking for a [illegible] dressed [illegible] Mr. Carr, [illegible] man who entered J. F. Carr's jewelry store and [illegible] on buying a watch after Mr. Carr had placed [illegible] them in his big safe and had given the deal a turn.

[illegible] don't want to hold out the watches again," said Mr. Carr to the stranger.

"Well, I am a colored man and I have to get away early in the morning, and that is why I want to buy a watch right away," retaliated the stranger, [illegible] him even more than the watch was worth [illegible] would [illegible] him.

"What road do you run on?" was [illegible] the stranger blurted out that he worked on the N. & W. "Why, that road does not run in here!" came back Mr. Carr, and when the stranger saw he was outwitted he speedily left the store.

Mr. Carr called on the police and furnished them with a description of the fellow, as he was a little apprehensive that the stranger would make an effort to "burglarize" his store. Two police, in plain clothes, [illegible] the Carr store Sunday and Monday, but they failed to discover any suspicious character prowling around there.

The Man Who Neglects Himself

[illegible] symptoms that will disappear with the regular use of Foley Kidney Pills. They put the kidneys and bladder in a clean, strong and healthy condition, and eliminate [illegible] and irregular bladder actions [illegible] when Foley Kidney Pills are taken. For sale by The Fisher & Streich Pharmacy. adv

N. & W. Man Injured

Chillicothe, Dec. 2. Charles [illegible], a laborer working under an Norfolk and Western trestle Saturday, was struck on the head by a falling tie from a car overhead. His skull was fractured and it is thought he will die.

Central Labor Council.

Central Labor Council nominates its new staff of officers the first Monday in the new year and the following meeting holds the annual election. Only a short business meeting was held Monday night and routine business transacted.

Bought Bull Dog.

A. J. Taylor, of 1906 Gallia street, purchased a fine English bull dog when he was in Southern Kentucky. He paid $45 for the animal and prizes it highly.

A Prize Package.

The stork left a fine baby girl at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Helfinstein, of 2213 Robinson avenue, early Monday morning.

RUB PAIN OUT OF YOUR LAME ACHING BACK

Back hurt you? Can't straighten up without feeling sudden pains, sharp aches and twinges? Now listen! That's lumbago, sciatica or maybe from a strain, and you'll get blessed relief the moment you rub your back with soothing, penetrating "St. Jacobs Oil." Nothing else takes out soreness, lameness and stiffness so quickly. You simply rub it on and out comes the pain. It is perfectly harmless and doesn't burn or discolor the skin.

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Charity Ball Was Splendid Success

The tango and all other new fangled forms of dancing were barred at the Charity Ball at Kendall's hall Monday evening, and the picturesque old ball room remained true to the traditions of the past on the closing night of its existence as a dance hall. In the neighborhood of 150 couples attended the hop, and no happier or merrier throng ever whirled away an evening of pleasure in Kendall's hall than the one that danced for sweet charity's sake Monday evening.

The crowd arrived early and stayed late, and the floor was filled with merry dancers throughout the evening, all of whom seemed bent on enjoying their last night in Kendall's hall to the very limit. Inspiring music was furnished by the Gusto Trio, which organization fully lived up to its past reputation.

Mayor Tynes, who was to have led the grand march at 10 o'clock, failed to put in an appearance and this feature of the dance was called off. The prize waltz and prize two-step created much enthusiasm and the winners were picked from out a field of graceful dancers only after the most careful and painstaking comparison.

Miss Grace Wells of 1126 Fourth street was voted the best waltzer by the judges, and received as a prize a beautiful manicure set. Her partner was Chester Davis. The prize for the most graceful dancer in the two-step, a bronze clock, went to Miss Hattie Gies, of Ninth street, who was piloted through the dance movements by Joseph Kountz, the popular clerk at the Criterion Clothing company.

The floor was in excellent condition, and not one detail necessary to make the occasion a most enjoyable one was overlooked by the committee in charge. The crowd exceeded the most sanguine hopes of the promoters and a neat sum was realized from the dance, the entire proceeds of which will be devoted to charity.

In charge of the arrangements were Carl Hansen and James Distel, of the Hansen Furniture company, which firm donated the hall and bore the entire expenses of the dance. They were assisted by Ralph Shetler and Chalmer Davis, floor managers, who maintained the best of order at all times.

In the neighborhood of $75 was realized from the dance, part of which will be donated to the Salvation Army and the balance to the Zala Mission in the West End.

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Annual Election of Masonic Officers

F. M. BAGGS RECEIVED AS JUNIOR WARDEN OF GRAND LODGE F. & A. M.

At a largely attended meeting of Aurora lodge, F. & A. M., Monday evening, the members placed an excellent corps of officials at the helm for the ensuing year, electing Prof. J. D. Creveling, principal of the Portsmouth High school, to the exalted station of Worshipful Master. Other officers elected are as follows:

Senior warden, George L. Gelker; junior warden, Sherrard Johnson; treasurer, William Silcox; secretary, A. J. Fuller; senior deacon, Fred Winter; junior deacon, Harry H. Baker; tyler, Andrew Reinhard.

Under the regime of the retiring officers Aurora lodge has enjoyed one of the most prosperous years since the institution was organized, and Worshipful Master William E. Clayton was made to know that his work was highly appreciated. Preceding the election, Past Master D. A. Grimes in a happy and befitting speech presented to Master Clayton a beautiful jewel, testimonial to the splendid administration of the retiring master.

The meeting Monday night was without a doubt one of the most historic since the lodge was organized, the occasion being the official reception accorded Frank M. Baggs as the Grand Junior Warden of the Grand lodge of Ohio, a position to which he was elected last October. In some lodge circles perhaps the occasion would not have been attended with so much enthusiasm, but the fact that Mr. Baggs is a member of Aurora lodge, coupled with the additional fact that this is the first time in the history of the Grand lodge that a Southern Mason has been officially represented in the Grand lodge, made the occasion one of great solemnity.

It is generally conceded that such an honor could not have been bestowed upon a more worthy Mason. Mr. Baggs is generally regarded as one of the most prominent Masons in the state. From the time he was raised as a Master Mason at Aurora lodge in 1902 until the present day he has been one of its most active members. He has filled all the stations in the [illegible] lodge, being chosen Junior Deacon in December, 1902, and [illegible] the station of Master during 1905 and 1906. That he filled the station two terms in succession [illegible] worth and ability. Mr. Baggs so filled all the stations [illegible] higher bodies [illegible] Thrice Illustrious Master [illegible]

For the past [illegible] Mr. Baggs has successfully [illegible] office of District [illegible] territory consisting of Scioto, Pike, Ross, Adams and [illegible] counties.

[illegible]

[illegible] of Warden of Aurora lodge, the same station [illegible] [illegible] Baggs [illegible]

The Grand lodge [illegible] Ohio [illegible] United States [illegible] New York, Illinois and Pennsylvania [illegible]

[illegible] officials of Aurora lodge, Mr. Baggs gave a short talk [illegible] early history [illegible] Grand lodge. He was [illegible] members of Aurora lodge [illegible] the lodge through his [illegible] Grand lodge.

A Real Nerve And Body Building Medicine

[illegible]

Officers Chosen By Magnolia Knights

Magnolia lodge, Knights of Pythias, at their meeting Monday evening elected the following officers to serve the first half of 1914. These will be installed the first regular meeting in January:

Chancellor commander, George Tener; vice chancellor commander, Stephen Holman; prelate, J. O. Thompson; master at arms, George Pressler; master of exchequer, W. F. Blankemeyer; master of work, George T. Swabby; master of finance, A. S. Patton; keeper of records and seals, Philip Pfarr; inside guard, Clyde Barker; outside guard, Paul New-land; trustee, Elmer Knost.

There was a good turn-out of the Knights and a lively meeting. Sir Knight George Swabby, back from a hunting trip to Oklahoma, was the stellar attraction. George kept real busy exhibiting pictures of those bears, lions, deers, wolves and other fierce varmints he killed out there.

Magnolia also endorsed the candidacy of Dr. E. W. Tidd of Alhambra lodge of Stockdale for Grand Outer Guard of the Grand lodge. Dr. Tidd is one of the most enthusiastic Pythians in Southern Ohio and very popular with the boys.

JOE'S 'POSSUM STOLEN

The expected has happened. Some one stole Joe Stokley's possum. Joe has been fattening that possum and watching it zealously all along, waiting for it to get ripe to butcher. He had planned to wait until cold weather set in when his mouth would be set for the feast. Along came some one Sunday night and stole the animal.

It is understood "warrants" have been sworn out for Tommy [illegible] and Andy [illegible] on charges of knowing something about the theft.

AT Y. M. C. A. TONIGHT

The Rev. Freeman W. Chase, pastor of the Hutchins Street Baptist church, will give a talk in the N. & W. Y. M. C. A. tonight on "The Bible." Arrangements have been made with Rev. Chase to give a similar lecture each Tuesday night of the month of December.

Owls Want Autos To Go To Jackson

Should enough automobiles be secured to convey them to Jackson Sunday, the local Owls will accept the invitation of the Jackson nest to confer the ritual on a large class of candidates. Jackson is very anxious to have the local nest as its guest for the day and an urgent invitation is extended.

Thomas Frank Lether was the only candidate initiated Monday [illegible] as practically all of the session was devoted to the election of officers. An honored guest of the evening was Mr. Mossbery, president of the [illegible] nest.

Here are the officers that will [illegible] the nest during the coming [illegible] president; [illegible] Krall, past president; [illegible] vice president; James Kelly, invocator; George Scarborough, treasurer; William F. Miller, secretary; Charles Fultz, warden; William Ross, sentinel; Arthur [illegible] Roy McElfarey, [illegible] Weaver [illegible] trustees.

An expression of appreciation for his past efficient work as president of the nest was extended [illegible] A. M. [illegible] and he was also asked [illegible] president [illegible]

New System In Effect

The new system of collecting recently adopted by the street railway company became effective Monday, December 1. Hereafter all bills must be paid by check or at the office. If this ruling is complied with the consumers will receive a ten percent discount, providing bills are paid before the tenth of each month. This is practically the same system as is used by the Portsmouth Gas company.

Dr. Lloyd In Toledo

[illegible] annual meeting of the State Dental association [illegible]

Ruling On Xmas Packages

[illegible]

New Houses To Be Built

J. H. [illegible], prominent merchant of Valley P. O., Ky., accompanied by his sister-in-law, Mrs. Sophia Hackworth, was a business visitor in Portsmouth Tuesday. While here he awarded the contract for the erection of two new houses near the N. & W. terminals to Earl [illegible] These [illegible] he already owns in that neighborhood [illegible] which he still owns.

Mr. H. [illegible] also spent considerable [illegible] the wholesale houses [illegible] purchasing goods for his store at Valley P. O.

Register Installed

A new National cash register, equipped with all the latest and most improved devices, has been installed in the Flood and Blake drug store on east Gallia street by Joseph Hermann, the local agent. The machine is a beauty, and has attracted much attention among the patrons of the store.

Mr. Baggs in Chicago.

Frank M. Baggs left Tuesday morning for Chicago, where he was called on business. He will probably return home the last of the week.

Will Visit Brother.

[illegible] of South Webster, passed through the city Monday on his way to Marion, O., to visit his brother for a week.

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[illegible] dealers [illegible] to refund [illegible] every buyer if [illegible] for any [illegible]

[illegible] of Wendell's Ambition Pills.

[illegible] nervous, headache, neuralgia, sleepless [illegible] stomach [illegible] constipation. They [illegible] few days. Mail [illegible] prepared by [illegible] Wendell Pharmacal Company, Syracuse, N. Y.

WILL MOVE NEXT WEEK

Carl Hanson, head of the Hanson Furniture Company, announced today that the opening of the new store would take place some time about the middle of next week. The interior work is fast nearing completion and will be in readiness by that time.

Mr. Hanson has made extensive improvements on the [illegible] including a new cement walk entirely around the building, and [illegible] a most attractive and inviting appearance.

The opening of the store will be marked by appropriate ceremonies, the full details of which will be announced by the enterprising firm later in the week. Mr. Hanson [illegible] have a store second to none in this part of the state, and the arrangements of the building are ideal for the carrying out of this intention.

James Folsom of Franklin F[illegible] was a visitor in Portsmouth today.

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Emblem, Seal, Signet, Initial and Birthstone Rings
Dress Studs and Buttons to Match
Cuff Buttons, Scarf Pins and Tie Clasps
Solid Silver Card Cases,
Solid Silver Match Safes,
Solid Silver Pencils,
Solid Silver Cigar Cutters,
Solid Silver Satchel Tags,
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Bell System

A generation ago, engagements, weddings, anniversaries and birthdays were largely neighborhood affairs. But communities have grown, suburbs have sprung up, and homes in the country separate many friends part of the year.

The handicap of distance [illegible] impossible to extend congratulations [illegible] In this difficulty the Long Distance [illegible] is indispensable. It [illegible] personal than a letter [illegible] is usually perfunctory and [illegible]

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TO USE BLOOD HOUNDS TO LOCATE FIRE BUGS, LIVE STOCK CONSUMED

[illegible] hounds will be put on [illegible] of the miscreants who [illegible] to the large barn belonging [illegible] D. Mullens, a prominent [illegible] Flat Hollow, Ky. [illegible] miles back of Fuller[illegible] about midnight Monday. The barn and its entire [illegible], including two horses, [illegible] and a large quantity [illegible] was burned to the ground. [illegible] gation gives rise to the [illegible] that the fire was the work [illegible] incendiary, and strenuous [illegible] will be made to apprehend [illegible] guilty parties and bring [illegible]. Tracks leading from [illegible] were followed across [illegible] meadow until they were lost [illegible] in the grass and it is [illegible] that if blood hounds can [illegible] to the scene, somewhere [illegible] the fire bugs will follow.

WITH THE SICK

[illegible] Ideal operator, [illegible] been seriously ill the [illegible] few weeks with bowel trouble [illegible] suffered a relapse and is [illegible] ill at his home on Fifth [illegible].

[illegible] Rosa Kunst [illegible], who [illegible] suffered a slight stroke [illegible] paralysis at her home, Sixth [illegible] Court streets, was reported [illegible] Monday and Tuesday.

[illegible] Norman, accompanied [illegible] six year old daughter, [illegible] will leave Sunday for Cincinnati [illegible] where he will consult a noted [illegible] concerning [illegible] daughter, who has [illegible] [illegible] Mrs. Norman and [illegible] Helen [illegible], will [illegible] the time with her parents [illegible], Ohio.

[illegible] be pleasing news to the [illegible] friends of Mrs. H. E. Mc[illegible] of Harrisburg, Pa., to learn [illegible] is recovering nicely from [illegible] of an operation for appendicitis, which she underwent [illegible] Hempstead hospital last Saturday morning. Mrs. McNally is [illegible] of Mrs. W. B. Robe, of [illegible] Fifth street, and has a host [illegible] friends in this city.

[illegible] child of Mr. and Mrs. Ed An[illegible] of South Portsmouth, [illegible] diphtheria Monday and [illegible] was placed under quar[illegible].

[illegible] Collins, a transfer man, is [illegible] home, 1616 Seventh [illegible].

[illegible] street, suffering with stomach trouble.

"Billy" Bromley, who was recently operated upon at the Hempstead hospital for appendicitis, is so much better that he is now considered out of danger. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bromley, of Sinton street.

Mrs. David Clapper, who has been seriously ill with heart trouble for several days at her home, [illegible] Mill street, was very little improved Tuesday. She came near dying Monday night.

Dr. P. J. Kline was in Oak Hill Monday, being called there to see his life long friend, George Thomas, who is seriously ill with complications. Mr. Thomas has been resting a little easier the past few days.

Clyde Hogan, of Eighth street, who has been seriously ill the past eight weeks with typhoid fever, was moved to the hospital Monday. There are very little hopes for his recovery.

Mrs. H. B. Brooks, of 812 Prospect street, is slowly recovering from a six weeks' illness of [illegible].

George Manning, of 2026 Seventh street, is quite seriously ill [illegible] infirmities of old age.

Howard, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. William Ramey of 818 Prospect street, is seriously ill of bronchitis.

Within the next few days, Jesse Carr, who recently underwent a second operation in Cincinnati for relief from an injury sustained this summer while camping, expects to return home. His condition shows perceptible signs of improvement and it is hoped he has secured the permanent relief so earnestly sought.

Reports from the bedside of Miss Nellie Miller, of South Portsmouth, who recently underwent an operation in Cincinnati, are very encouraging to relatives. Hopes are entertained that she will soon be in condition to be removed to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Cooper of South Portsmouth have two children, Robert and Mary, very low with typhoid fever.

Mrs. Theodore Pierron has been quite ill for several days at her home on Court street.

Mrs. Warner, of Findlay street, is recovering from an attack of pneumonia.

Miss Grace Jennings, who has been ill with typhoid fever at the Hempstead hospital, has taken a [illegible] the better. She is employed as cashier in the shoe department of the Salvage store.

Miss Grace Schoonover of Lucasville is seriously ill with pneumonia.

Miss Elizabeth Ricker has been forced to relinquish her duties as kindergarten teacher to sojourn at Martinsville, Ind., for her health.

Mrs. Amanda Laird, an aged resident of South Portsmouth, who fell and broke her hip several weeks ago, was removed to the city Hempstead hospital in Daehler's ambulance Sunday.

Hugh Rudity, the popular Sinton street grocer, is laid up at his home with a severe attack of tonsilitis.

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[illegible] Pork 12½c
[illegible] Flake Hominy ....[illegible]
[illegible] Pearl Hominy ....[illegible]
[illegible] new Navy Beans 10c
[illegible] fancy Potatoes $1.10
[illegible] Flour ....[illegible] 70c
[illegible] 25c
[illegible] Butter and Eggs, Oysters, [illegible] Celery, Apples, [illegible] Olives, etc.
[illegible] us your order early and [illegible] the difference.

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THE CASH GROCER
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Occupies New Quarters

The Walters Plumbing Company has moved from 918 Offnere street two doors south to the corner room at Ninth and Offnere street, until recently occupied by the C. C. Bode Granite and Cut Stone Company. The room is being fitted up to suit the needs of the new occupants, and when completed, will be one of the most attractive plumbing stores in southern Ohio.

The stock of the C. C. Bode Co. was moved Saturday to the Peerless Cut Stone and Granite Company at Tenth and Offnere streets, where it will be stored until some disposition is made of it.

Made Returns to City.

Supt. of Cemetery Albert Freyting turned in receipts Tuesday for the month of November amounting to $927.72, while Miss Mayme Boyer, superintendent of the hospital, showed receipts from that institution amounting to [illegible]612.

NOSTRIOLA OPENS NOSTRILS, FINE FOR COLDS AND CATARRH

This Simple, Sensible Treatment Cures Colds, Croup, Catarrh, Sore Throat, Hay Fever, etc.

The Nostriola Treatment is having remarkable success in curing Colds, Croup, Catarrh, Hay Fever, etc. This remedy is perfectly harmless, is easily applied and so simple and sensible that it appeals to every one.

Nostriola is a pleasant, antiseptic, cleansing, healing balm, quickly reaches and heals the sore, inflamed lining of the air passages, and there is no waiting for results. It is fine for croupy children.

The nostrils and air passages are [illegible] the best [illegible] for the Catarrh and Hay Fever [illegible]. The Nostriola treatment [illegible] the dropping of the catarrhal [illegible] into the stomach [illegible]. Colds lead to Catarrh, Hay Fever, [illegible] never be neglected.

If Catarrh has already [illegible] start the Nostriola Treatment right away [illegible] this distressing ailment.

You get a large tube of Nostriola [illegible] for 25c [illegible].

Thought First Wife Was Deceased

ROLLA SHEETS IN JAIL ON A BIGAMY CHARGE

Only one wife is allowed a man by the state of Ohio. Rolla Sheets was not satisfied with one. He had two. Thinking one was dead, he married another. Now he is behind the cruel, cold bars in a gray [illegible] city prison, with a charge of bigamy against him.

Sarah Sawyer Sheets is one wife. Martha McQuarrie Dowds Sheets is another. The former is the first. The latter is the second. With the second wife Sheets has been living [illegible] Gallia [illegible]. Sheets, a diminutive fellow, married his first wife in Ironton June 15, 1899. Thinking her dead, so he claims, he married Martha McQuarrie Dowds in Portsmouth not over a year ago.

A [illegible] Mrs. Sheets [illegible] the second Mrs. [illegible] investigation followed. Mr. Rolla Sheets [illegible] "Shorty," was arrested [illegible] Monday night. [illegible].

Save Time!

Time lost because of headaches, lassitude and depressions of biliousness, is worse than wasted. Biliousness yields quickly to the safe, certain home remedy—

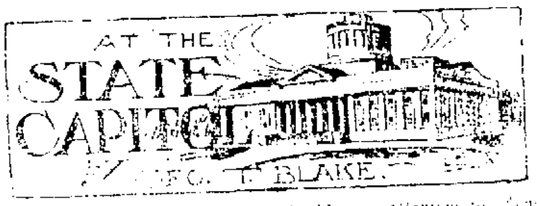
BEECHAM'S PILLS

Sold everywhere. In boxes, 10c., 25c.

Pet Dog Poisoned.

Chester [illegible], the Offnere street tailor, is mourning the loss of a pet poodle dog, which some unscrupulous person in the vicinity of his home on Murray street poisoned early Monday evening. The dog was a pet of the neighborhood and it will be sadly missed, especially by the children.

Isador Goodman will go to Cincinnati Wednesday to buy wool [illegible] for the United Woolen company.



Columbus, Dec. 2. The honors [illegible] [illegible] A. Gossard, a farmer of [illegible] Madison county. [illegible] the Washington trip [illegible] Columbus Monday night. [illegible]

[illegible] would give attention to [illegible] Miss Gossard. [illegible] would I am sure it would help a great deal towards solving the cost of living. It would also accomplish [illegible] just as important, if not more so. It would make them more robust and give them an added interest in life. I intend to farm all my life."

One would imagine that in the heart of those confined within the walls of the penitentiary there would be little place for amorous [illegible]. But not so. Clandestine love notes have been passing between the men and the women prisoners for some time. A lot of them have just been confiscated by the prison officials and never did more overweening [illegible] flow from the pen of gallant [illegible] than may be found in the scrawled notes that have been [illegible] read by others than those for whom they were intended. Incidentally, it has been found that trusted penitentiary couriers have been the carriers of the secret mail. In the letters and the replies the terms of utmost affection are employed. Undying devotion is pledged and promised. And in most cases the sole basis for the romance has been merely a glance furtively exchanged during chapel services [illegible]. Those occasions are about the only ones when male and female prisoners are brought in contact. But they give rise to epistles whose authors vow faithful and undying passion. The upshot of the whole discovery will be a greater espionage both over the chapel services and over the clever postal system that has been operating behind the walls.

The newly licensed saloon keepers of the state have become detectives vigilant. In many cities they have constituted themselves as spies upon all sellers of intoxicants that do not hold the coveted license. In some localities they [illegible] organizations [illegible] to spy upon drug stores and other places suspected of selling unlawfully. Up in Toledo [illegible] a close corporation [illegible] laws and by-laws and [illegible] mutual understandings. And one of the agreements is that the law preventing [illegible] which up to this time has been a dead letter, shall in the future be rigidly enforced.

Emil Promoted.

Emil Holt has [illegible] transferred from [illegible] at the express office at the N. & W. passenger depot to [illegible] of the Wells Fargo [illegible] Southern Express company.

Officers Visit Infirmary.

The county commissioners and the county auditor spent the greater part of Tuesday at the county infirmary in their regular monthly inspection of the premises.

FREE! FREE! FOR MEN ONLY!

[illegible]

SI STRAUS CLOTHING AND SHOE STORES

Two Twenty Chilli. Where Your Dollars Work Over Time

[illegible] Saturday, December 6.

LOU WILL BE CIGAR MAN

Louis E. Distel, who has been in [illegible] employ for the past six years as salesman at the Globe Clothing store at [illegible] Second street, has tendered his resignation to that firm, effective Dec. [illegible]. When the new Play House opens within the next two or three weeks Mr. Distel will assume the management of the elegant cigar store to be opened in the corner room, [illegible] occupied by the [illegible] company.

Mr. Distel is eminently fitted for his new position, having conducted the Washington hotel cigar stand for several months when it was the property of Rhodes Salon. [illegible] popular with [illegible] and the [illegible] at the Play House made [illegible]. No successor to [illegible] has been named at the Globe [illegible].

Goes To Montreal.

[illegible] company of [illegible] left Monday morning for [illegible] Canada [illegible]. He has [illegible] his parents, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] A. Bowers, of [illegible] street.

Mr. Sprague Home

H. C. Sprague has returned from a trip through the east in the interest of the Irving Drew company.

HEADACHE

Sick or nervous headaches always result from a torpid liver or a disordered [illegible] the liver, or sweeten the stomach, and the headache [illegible]. The surest way is to take

SCHENCK'S MANDRAKE PILLS

They invariably relieve all ailments resulting from liver or stomach trouble—quickly and permanently remove biliousness, palpitation, [illegible] indigestion, constipation, etc. Wholly vegetable; plain or sugar coated. [illegible] Send for free sample.

Dr. J. H. Schenck & Son, Philadelphia

Come to "The Christmas Store!"

A Merry Place to Buy Useful Gifts!

You will not find the kind of gift items here that go unappreciated after the first few days. Here you will find such items of wearing apparel, house decorations, etc. home necessities that will last and which it is a real pleasure to give as well as receive.

Our Advice is to SHOP EARLY! We Are Now Prepared to Take Care of Your Wants and Assortments ARE NOW AT THEIR BEST!

Good Gloves Make Good Xmas Gifts

We can glove the whole family for you. Come and get your size now, before the stock is broken.

SPECIAL SALE OF JEWELRY SAMPLES

Will save you almost half on your Xmas gifts of some jewelry. Our new department contains all the newest styles that are desirable.

LINENS FOR XMAS—NOTHING BETTER

Every housewife can use a new linen set or some separate napkins, fancy pieces, etc. Why not buy them for a Xmas gift.

NEW ASSORTMENT OF TOWELS FOR XMAS

Both in the Huck, Damask and fancy Bath Towels in large or individual sizes. It's the biggest assortment we have shown.

SILK HOSIERY FOR MEN AND WOMEN

An acceptable gift that you can find here at a moderate price. All pairs guaranteed.

HOW ABOUT A NEW PAIR OF DRESS SHOES?

Every woman would appreciate a new pair of classy footwear such as is here.

Buy a Merchandise Order

If you are not certain as to what to give. You can get them in any amount from $1.00 UP. Redeemable at any time or at any department.

A BISSEL CARPET SWEEPER FOR XMAS

The kind of a gift for the housewife that will be appreciated.

Price: $3.00 to $4.50.

BATH ROBE BLANKETS

With cords and loops to match. Come and see our new Xmas assortment.

Price: $2.50 and $3.50.

GOOD WOOL BLANKETS

Make an excellent gift to the housewife.

Price: $3.50 to $10.00.

New Patterns in Shirting Silks

Have just arrived for Xmas selling. Buy him a new Silk Shirt Pattern and see how well it pleases him. Price per yard $1.00

BLACK SILKS FOR MOTHER OR GRANDMOTHER

Nothing is better or more acceptable than a waist or dress pattern of one of these handsome Black Silks that are here.

FURS FOR WOMEN, MISSES AND CHILDREN

Furs in all [illegible] make the best and most acceptable gift item. Come and see this splendid collection.

CHILDREN'S WINTER JACKETS

Buy the child a new style for Xmas morn and she will be more than proud of it than a cheap toy.

Such splendid and serviceable items as Umbrellas, Ribbons, Handkerchiefs, Lace Collars, Gloves, linens, etc., are here in abundance.

NEW ASSORTMENT OF FANCY APRONS

Just come and see how pretty they are and how reasonable.

Price: 25c to $1.00.

ONLY 19 MORE SHOPPING DAYS TILL XMAS

Marting's

MAKE EVERY DAY COUNT AND DON'T WAIT TILL THE LAST.

EVENING TIMES SPORTS

FINE DRAWING CARD

Here's the real reason why the Detroit club would not trade Tyrus Cobb to any club unless it got something remarkably in return: The Tigers in 1912 drew approximately $128,000 on the road; in 1913 they drew only approximately $98,000. Who was absent from the team for some little time at the start of the 1913 season? Answer: T. R. Cobb on his spectacular holdout. Make your deductions.

PLAYED ON SAME TEAM

The signing of Wilbert Robinson to manage Brooklyn and the consenting of Governor Tener of Pennsylvania to be president of the National league recalls the time when these two were teammates. They played together on what was probably the greatest minor league club of all time, reckoned from the standpoint of fame achieved later by its members. It was the Haverhill club of the New England league in 1886. Tener was a pitcher and Robinson a catcher and occasionally they worked as a battery.

RITCHIE IS FAVORITE

Many fight fans figure, as a result of Willie Ritchie's splendid form, as shown by the recent defeat of Leach Cross, that he will make mincemeat out of Tommy Murphy in their bout on the coast on December 10, particularly since Murphy was such an easy victim for Packey McFarland in New York a few weeks ago. But they seem to forget that Murphy always fights better in California than in his home district. That scrap is likely to prove a tough one for Ritchie, since Murphy will be facing an opportunity to get a championship he never had and accordingly will risk everything in the effort to beat the titleholder. Ritchie has scored a decided victory over Cross, but he will have to go at top speed.

MAY TAKE ON PRINCETON

Two weeks ago a rumor came out of Ann Arbor that University of Michigan was arranging for a football game with Princeton. The correspondents did not see strange in it, however. But now word is going out from the other end of the line that the Tigers are "not averse" to considering the story. [illegible] A Michigan-Princeton game would prove one of the most attractive football events that could possibly be arranged.

This One Too Easy

"What does football fit a young man for?" inquires a correspondent. We don't know unless it fits him for a hospital.

Eichenlaub Is On All Western Team

An All Western football team has been named by Coach Stagg of the Chicago team, winner of the Western conference this season, and Eichenlaub of Notre Dame has been placed at full back on the honorary team.

Eichenlaub played a spectacular game for Notre Dame and according to the critics he is just as successful line plunger as Willie Heston was in the heyday of his line plunging when he brought fame to Ann Arbor and to himself when apparently with but a little effort he would rip gaping holes into the beefy lines of his opponents.

As Coach Stagg is recognized as an absolute authority in football team students of the game always look forward to his honorary team. It is really a great honor to be named on his mythical eleven. Eichenlaub, who was played at full back, is a nephew of George Goodman of the Gilbert Grocery Company. He starred in every game, but his most spectacular work was done in the game with Penn State and Indiana.

Here is Coach Stagg's honorary team:

Des Jardien, Chicago, Center.
Allmendinger, Michigan, Guard.
Keeler, Wisconsin, Guard.
Butler, Wisconsin, Tackle.
Brown, South Dakota, Tackle.
Solon, Minnesota, End.
Shaughnessy, Minnesota, End.
Dorais, Notre Dame, Quarter.
Norgren, Chicago, Half.
Craig, Michigan, Half.
Eichenlaub, Notre Dame, Full.

Eichenlaub is a Chillicothe boy and formerly played on the high school team in that city.

WHY JOEY LOST OUT

[illegible]

JOE HAD NERVE

We do not blame the Cincinnati stockholders for kicking Joe out. He certainly had his nerve coming there from Chicago and trying to boss them out of their regular jobs.

Fishing Club Names Trustees For Year

At a meeting of the stockholders of the Portsmouth Fishing club, held in their office in the Masonic Temple Monday evening, the following trustees were elected for the ensuing year: F. M. Baggs, Theo. Dory, S. [illegible], Earl T. Parsell and Henry Pies [illegible].

The affairs of the organization are in a splendid condition. The lease [illegible] has been filled [illegible] years, with plenty of [illegible] from the state hatcheries and placed in the lake [illegible] fish within the next year or so. Other [illegible] will be secured from time to time, assuring good fishing for years to come.

TERMINALS

[illegible]

NOT BEYOND HELP AT 87

[illegible]

Mystery Solved

The Tinker affair has solved the mystery why so many able baseball men have failed as managers in Cincinnati, and why so many star players have been released to make good with other teams. In true minor league style the stockholders and directors of the Cincinnati club manage the team, and that is why it never wins a pennant. Here's the proof of an extract from the club's formal notice of Tinker's dismissal: "Mr. Tinker seemed to believe he was entitled to usurp all the authority vested by the stockholders in the executive officers and the board of directors."

Nebraska Wants In

Chicago, Dec. 2. Admission into the Western conference is desired by the University of Nebraska. [illegible] of that institution are inclined to think that the request for membership will be granted.

SAYS HUSBAND IS DRUNKARD.

Ina Sly, through her attorney, Judge Dever, filed a suit in divorce Monday afternoon against Albert Sly. The petition avers marriage in May, 1892, and four children ranging in years from 1 to 19. The plaintiff alleges that her husband is an habitual drunkard and has been for more than three years, and that on or about October 1, 1913, he was guilty of extreme cruelty, in that he struck, beat and injured her, and this was done on numerous occasions subsequent and prior to this time. And for these reasons she asks that she be granted a divorce, alimony and the custody of their children.

Will Fix Pike

To proceed with the improvement of Gallia pike was a decision reached at a short meeting of the New Boston village council Monday night. [illegible] will be placed on the [illegible] and every effort made to make it passable during the winter. The pike will be [illegible] from corporation line to corporation line in the village.

Meeting Of Contractors

The Contractors' Association [illegible] meeting Monday night at [illegible] First National [illegible]

SONS MEET TONIGHT

[illegible]

Undergoes Operation

[illegible]

Portsmouth Moose Going to Huntington

Huntington, W. Va., Dec. 2.—It was announced yesterday that the members of Portsmouth Lodge, Loyal Order of Moose, have agreed to come to Huntington on December 13, and that the degree team of that lodge will confer the work of the order on a great class that will be initiated in Huntington on that night.

Portsmouth, it is said, has one of the most effective degree teams in the entire country, and the members of the Huntington lodge are anticipating with great interest and pleasure their coming.

The Portsmouth Moose have secured a special train for the Huntington trip and it is believed that more than 200 members from that city will attend the big meeting here. E. E. Washabaugh, Deputy National Director, in charge of the work here, stated last night that he expects to have in readiness a class of probably one hundred for the Portsmouth men to work on. The order, already strong in Huntington, has had a splendid growth during the past few months.

The local men, who have excellent appointed club rooms on Fourth avenue, are preparing to give the Portsmouth visitors a fitting reception.

WILL YOU SEND XMAS PACKAGES? READ THIS

Suggestions are being made by the government postal officials to postmasters all over the country to relieve congestion in the post offices during the holidays.

It is recommended that prospective senders of insured or C. O. D. parcels obtain in advance the number of tags which they will need. The [illegible] can then be addressed at home instead of the lobby of the postoffice. Parcels should be properly wrapped, carefully and accurately addressed and indorsed in the proper instances as fragile. Each tag should be fastened to the parcel it describes. Senders should remember that all insured packages must be presented at the postoffice window. Senders should be prepared to give the value of the parcel mailed.

To expedite acceptance of insured parcels from senders who do not secure tags in advance of [illegible] the post office, it is being recommended to postmasters that they establish a window or place in the lobby where tags can be distributed and instructions in regard to insurance and making out tags be given.

ARTIST WHO FRESCOED GRAND 15 YEARS AGO REPEATS WORK

Fifteen years ago The Times complimented Miss Annie D. Hennecke for the beautiful designs for the frescoing of the new opera house, which were her handiwork. Again it is the pleasure of The Times to make particular mention of the attractive designs in the New Grand and compliment the same accomplished designer, now Mrs. F. N. Mercier, of the firm of Annie D. Hennecke & Co., which was employed by the firm of frescoers that did the work. No feature of the new theatre has called forth more extravagant praise than the designs for the frescoing.

MR. SCUDDER ADDRESSED IRONTON BOY COUNCIL

Ironton, O., Dec. 2.—Attorney George D. Scudder, of Portsmouth, [illegible] the Scout [illegible] Boy Scout Council [illegible] Monday afternoon at the Board of Trade [illegible] Portsmouth [illegible] the city, choosing a man who is an athlete, has control of the boys and is clean morally.

The council members decided to hold a meeting [illegible] evening at [illegible] and organize and choose the scoutmaster.

RIVER NEWS

[illegible] Boat [illegible] Wednesday [illegible]

Oil Inspector Busy.

[illegible] went to Wheelersburg [illegible] afternoon on an official [illegible] of inspection.

Easy To Darken Your Gray Hair

You Can Bring Back Color and Lustre with Sage Tea and Sulphur

When you darken your hair with Sage Tea and Sulphur, no one can tell, because it's done so naturally, so evenly. Preparing this mixture, though, at home is mussy and troublesome. For 50 cents you can buy at any drug store the ready-to-use tonic called "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy." You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. By morning all gray hair disappears, and after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully dark, glossy and luxuriant. You will also discover dandruff is gone and hair has stopped falling.

Gray, faded hair, though no disgrace, is a sign of old age, and as we all desire a youthful and attractive appearance, get busy at once with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur and look years younger.

WINTER'S Economy SHOE STORE IS THE PLACE

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We Fit Your Feet

Will Pay $4,000

An agreed settlement was filed in probate court Monday afternoon by Attorney Edgar G. Miller on behalf of Joseph Fields, administrator of the estate of Harry Barker. It will be remembered that Barker was killed while working on what is called the "hump" at the Terminals.

The settlement of the claim for damages carries with it possibly the largest damage claim settled with a railway company in this county. The N. & W. Railway company, under the terms of the settlement, will pay the estate [illegible], but this saves the expense and trouble of a law suit.

Nervous and Sick Headaches

Torpid liver, constipated bowels and disordered stomach are the causes of these headaches. Take Dr. King's New Life Pills and you will be surprised how quickly you will get relief. They stimulate the different organs to do their work properly. No better regulator for liver and bowels. Take 25c and invest in a box today. At all druggists or by mail. H. E. Bucklen & Co., Philadelphia and St. Louis. adv.

Clyde Hosey of Eighth street returned Sunday from a hunting trip to Powellsville and reports only fair success.

BALTIMORE & OHIO SOUTHWESTERN R. R.

LOCAL TIME TABLE

No. 54 Leave Portsmouth 7:00 a. m. Arrive Hamden 9:20 a. m.
No. 52 Leave Portsmouth 2:00 p. m. Arrive Hamden 4:35 p. m.
No. 51 Leave Hamden 7:45 a. m. Arrive Portsmouth 10:20 a. m.
No. 53 Leave Hamden 4:05 p. m. Arrive Portsmouth 6:35 p. m.

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LEGAL NOTICE

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Auditor of the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, until 12 o'clock, Noon, Tuesday, December 16, 1913, for the purchase of Five Thousand ($5,000.00) Dollars Sewer Construction Bonds, City's Proportion, dated November 1, 1913, and maturing as follows: Ten bonds, $5,000.00, November 1, 1920.

Said bonds are coupon bonds, 10 in number, and numbered consecutively from 141 to 150, both inclusive, of the denomination of $500.00 each, bearing interest at the rate of five (5) per cent per annum, payable semi-annually on the first day of May and November in each year, at the office of the Treasurer of the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, and are issued under the authority of Ordinance Number 1912, passed by the Council of said city on September 17, 1913.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check on some solvent bank, payable to the order of William N. Gableman, City Auditor, in an amount equal to 2 per cent of the par value of the bonds bid for. All bids must be unconditional, and no bid in an amount less than the par value of the bonds bid for and accrued interest to date of delivery will be considered.

Proposals shall be sealed and endorsed "Bids for City of Portsmouth Bonds," and addressed to the City Auditor, Portsmouth, Ohio.

The right is reserved by the city to reject any and all bids.

By order of Council.

WILLIAM N. GABLEMAN, City Auditor.
Nov. 11-4 Tues.

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Deputy Supreme Organizer.
402 MASONIC BUILDING

TO TANGO OR NOT TO TANGO, THAT IS CAUSING THE ROW

Portsmouth is in the throes of a dance war, which has been brought to an acute stage by the action of the committees in charge of the U. C. T. dance and the Charity Ball in placing under the ban the "Tango," "Castle-Walk," "Bunny-Hug," "Cradle Rock," "Hammock-Swing," and the thousand and one other forms of newfangled dancing that have originated in the minds of those clever enough to figure out a new step. Fraternal societies in the city have also issued an edict forever barring any of the dances named above at their hops, and this has also served to add fuel to the flames.

Among the younger and more active members of the social set, the sweeping order against their favorite dances has met with a storm of opposition, which has reached the point where they consider boy-cotting all dances where they are not allowed to indulge in the latest body gyrations to their hearts' content.

On the other hand, the committee's action has met with the heartiest approval of the older and more sedate dancers and some younger ones, who look upon the modern dance movements as nothing short of shocking and unworthy of a place in a respectable ball room.

Figuring Out The New Dances

While the war goes merrily on, the devotees of the new form of dancing met in twos, fours, sixes and so on, to figure out new and more intricate steps, with which they can electrify the other dancers when the next opportunity is given them to display their agility and gracefulness on the [illegible] room floor. He or she who can develop a movement up until that time unheard of or unthought of becomes a magnet to which is drawn every would-be dancer of the new school, who never gives up the effort until it is completely mastered and a part of his or her fast increasing repertoire.

[illegible] a young man and young woman who never tasted of the sweet fruits of popularity when the classic waltz and two-step represented the acme of perfection in dancing, has since become a social lion or lioness over night through the ability to shine in the tango, while others who in the olden days recognized no superior have had to take a back seat because of their failure to properly express the artistic sentiment and motion of the newest dance [illegible].

Dancing is undergoing a revolution, and nowhere is that revolution causing more comment and more praise and censure than in Portsmouth, as can be evidenced by the following statements secured by the Times today:

Thinks Tango Is Disgraceful

A leading society matron and [illegible] woman says: "The tango is positively disgraceful, and should not be allowed either at public or private dances. The statement that it has artistic merit is mere buncombe, designed as an apology for something that would not be tolerated in good society."

One of the younger society leaders who has persistently refused to follow in the wake of her closest chums, said: "The proper place for the tango and its similar dances is on the stage, where a discriminating public can choose between it and something more elevating, although, personally, I think it has no place there. It should not be allowed to thrust itself into the ball room to the disgust of those to whom the dance is repulsive."

Old Beaux For Tango

One of Portsmouth's most gallant beaux, too old himself to dance the tango, said: "The tango is all right, and I am heartily in favor of it. Some of those who are most bitterly denouncing it now will be the most enthusiastic followers of the new dance within a year."

"The tango, if danced properly, represents the most perfect dance, from an artistic standpoint, yet conceived, and I am glad that it has taken such a firm hold in Portsmouth," was the reply offered by an elderly society matron who has encouraged this form of dancing in Portsmouth from the start.

Why All The Fuss? Says Young Lady

One of the most accomplished tango dancers in the city, a leader of the younger set, said: "I can't see why such a fuss is being made over the tango. It is as simple as the waltz or two-step, and much more enjoyable. I would hate to have to go back to the old style of dancing after having had so much real fun and enjoyment during the past year."

A young man, who has been quite an infrequent guest at dances during the past year, gave his reasons in the following statement: "The introduction of the tango and other similar dances has spoiled dancing for me. I never expect to become a devotee of the tango, for I consider it nothing short of foolish for a man to go through such maneuvers on a dance floor."

Fraternal Man Against Dance

A member of a local fraternal order, who has been quite active in suppressing the tango at the dances given by the lodge of which he is a member, said: "I saw at the start that the tango was ruining our dances, and I used every means in my power to have it put under the ban. The dancers carry it to the extreme, and it causes an unpleasantness and ill feeling that would have in time driven some of our best members and their families from our dances. We have had better times and better feeling since we abolished the tango, and I am sure it will never be allowed there again."

The above interviews taken at random from many, simply indicate the difference of opinion that exists as to the real merit of the dance, and explains why there is such a storm of protest going up in some quarters against its universal adoption.

TRINITY CHURCH BAZAAR

W. H. M. S. of Trinity church will hold their bazaar in Bannon building, Gallia street, Thursday and Friday, Dec. 4 and 5. Fancy articles, aprons and edibles on sale. Lunch will also be served at any hour of the day after 10 a. m. adv 2-2

MARRIAGE LICENSES

The following marriage licenses were issued Tuesday morning:

Alonzo Floyd Canter, 25, an N. & W. fireman, and Dora Belle Dodds, 20, a shoeworker, both of city. Rev. Hart officiated.

Samuel W. Colegrove, 20, farmer, and Lulu Crisp, 18, both of Porter township. Squire Shakespeare officiated.

Will Manage Store.

Edwin Butler, of 1028 Fifteenth street, has resigned his position as cutter at the Selby shoe factory, and left Monday for Butler, Pa., where he will assume the management of a Wear-U-Well shoe store in that city. His wife will leave Portsmouth on Thursday morning to join him at Butler, where they will make their future home.

Will Nominate Officers.

Nomination of officers will command the attention of the Ben-Hurs at a business meeting to be held Friday night.

FRUIT LAXATIVE FOR SICK CHILD

"CALIFORNIA SYRUP OF FIGS" CAN'T HARM TENDER STOMACH, LIVER AND BOWELS

Every mother realizes after giving her children "California Syrup of Figs," that this is their ideal laxative, because they love its pleasant taste and it thoroughly cleanses the tender little stomach, liver and bowels without griping.

When cross, irritable, feverish or breath is bad, stomach sour, look at the tongue, mother! If coated, give a teaspoonful of this harmless "fruit laxative," and in a few hours all the foul constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. When its little system is full of cold, throat sore, has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, indigestion, colic—remember, a good "inside cleaning" should always be the first treatment given.

Millions of mothers keep "California Syrup of Figs" handy; they know a teaspoonful today saves a sick child tomorrow. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups printed on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here, so don't be fooled. Get the genuine made by "California Fig Syrup Company."

Plans For Parsonage

Trustees of the Trinity church have called a meeting with Architect Arthur Reeves tonight, at 7:30, and they will jointly go over the plans for a new parsonage for Trinity church. This improvement was to have been made last season, but was deferred because of the disastrous flood.

The parsonage is to contain nine rooms and will be built of tapestry brick [illegible] and will be complete in every detail. It will face Gallia street and will also have an entrance on the Gallia street side. The parsonage is to be rebuilt on the site of the present frame building used for that purpose and which is located just west of the Trinity church.

Guarding Against Croup

The best safeguard against croup is a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar Compound in the house. P. H. Ginn, Middleton, Ga., writes: "My children are very susceptible to croup, easily catch cold. I give them Foley's Honey and Tar Compound and in every instance they get prompt relief and are soon cured. We keep it in the house and prevent croup. It is also for coughs, colds, hoarseness, tickling throat, bronchial and lagrippe coughs. It contains no opiates. Refuse substitutes. For sale by The Fisher & Streich Pharmacy. adv.

Suit Against The N. & W.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Dec. 2.—United States District Judge Hollister and a petit jury will today begin the hearing of the damage suit of William Woods, administrator, vs. the Norfolk and Western Railway company. A. R. Johnson, Dan C. Jones and Andrews and Irish, of Ironton, O., will represent the plaintiff and Bannon and Bannon, of Portsmouth, the defendant.

H. L. Chapman In The City

Hon. Horace L. Chapman, of Columbus, is in the city, the guest of relatives. Mr. Chapman, who was a former Democratic candidate for Governor, has many friends here, all of whom were glad to see him looking so well. Although he has passed the 70th milestone in life, he looks hale and hearty.

Mother Very Ill.

Dr. D. N. Hopkins of Friendship has returned from Crofton, W. Va., where he attended the bedside of his aged mother who is critically ill. No signs of improvement is shown in her condition.

BOY SCOUTS MET GOVERNOR COX

The delegation of Portsmouth boys who attended the big Y. M. C. A. convention for older boys at Fostoria on last Friday, Saturday and Sunday, returned to the city Monday evening, at 7:30, over the N. & W. railway. The following were in the group: M. H. E. Kinsey, secretary; Clifford Zollars, David Williams, Imboden Hudson, Carey Williams, Curtis Bellamy, Curtis Ayres, Russell Williams and Harry Phillips.

Mr. Kinsey, the leader, said in an interview this morning: "I have attended many gatherings of boys in my life, but I never witnessed the equal of this conference at Fostoria. Three hundred boy delegates were in attendance, and it was inspiring, indeed, to look into their faces during the sessions of the conference."

Sunday was the big day for the boys. In the morning they attended Sunday school with their hosts, as well as church services, and at noon the entire Portsmouth delegation of nine dined with Mr. Charles Pfau, a former citizen of Portsmouth, who is now running a big bakery in Fostoria.

Sunday afternoon two big mass meetings were held; one for boys 16 and over, the other for boys under 16. The former was addressed by Mr. James Whitmore, of New York City, and the other by Dr. Fisher, of New York, who heads the Physical Department of the Young Men's Christian Association in America. Whitmore made a powerful address, and about 20 boys entered the Christian life as the result.

Sunday evening the closing session was held in the Methodist church and Dr. Fisher was the speaker, whose subject was "Leadership." At the close of this address each boy delegate was given an opportunity to tell how the convention had helped him. As the entire 300 delegates and their secretaries clasped hands, they sang in closing, "Blest Be the Tie that Binds," and the great Older Boys' Conference came to a close.

The Portsmouth delegation left Fostoria Monday morning at 4:20, reaching Columbus at 7:20 a. m. Here they remained until 4:20 p. m. The boys had a fine time in Columbus. In the early part of the morning they visited the many places of interest in the State House, and after that had the pleasure of meeting Governor Cox in the executive chamber. The Governor paid a high compliment to Portsmouth and [illegible] of his recent visit here, and especially of our fine high school building.

The Governor's secretary, Mr. [illegible] Burba, then gave the boys a free pass to the state penitentiary, which proved to be a round trip, as he expressed it. The rest of the morning was spent at this institution and was extremely interesting to the boys.

After lunch, the boys then visited the city Y. M. C. A. as the guests of Mr. Pontious, the general secretary, and Mr. Babbitt, Boys' Work secretary. After visiting the different departments of the Y. M. C. A., the boys then took a fine swim in the big swimming pool. Of course, this was the real feature of the afternoon's program.

At 4:20 the entire delegation left for Portsmouth, reaching home safe and sound.

Took Poison.

Ironton, O., Dec. 2.—Price Meadows, a well-known young man of Russell, Ky., Saturday night swallowed a quantity of strichnyne and for a time his life was despaired of. Drs. Fitch and Rathburn worked with the man for some time and finally saved his life. Just what prompted the young man to swallow the poison is not known.

Like New Home.

With the new furniture installed and the room prettily decorated and cozily furnished, the Bartenders' union is delighted with the new home above Ye Old Mill cafe on Second street.

Don't Be Misled if You Have Lung Trouble

If you have Lung Trouble, do not be misled by reports of discoveries of specifics to relieve that affection. No sure cure has as yet been found. Eckman's Alterative, however, is a medicine for throat and lung troubles which has been successfully used in many cases. If you are sick it might be wise for you to investigate its merits and its use may be of lasting benefit to you. Read of this case:

[illegible] Seventh Ave., New York.

"Gentlemen: Five years ago last August I was taken to St. Francis Hospital to be treated for Bronchitis and congestion of lungs. After several weeks' treatment I was advised by the doctor to go to a country resort sanitarium, but could not be admitted because the doctor at the hospital, after a thorough examination, declared me one Lung Trouble, and gave me a certificate to that effect. I showed the certificate to Father Stark, and he advised me to take Eckman's Alterative. I took the Alterative faithfully as directed and soon found myself free from night sweats and fever, and gradually got better. I have not taken the Alterative now for two years, and can truthfully say I am well. I feel better and am stronger than before my sickness."

(Affidavit) MARY KORHAMER.

(Above abbreviated; more on request.)

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Argued For New Trial

In the case of Charles W. Leichner against The Portsmouth Automobile and Machine Co., a motion for a new trial was argued Tuesday morning, Attorney N. R. Gill and [illegible] appearing for the plaintiff and Edgar G. Miller for the defendants. The case was [illegible] to recover [illegible] damages on account of the defendant selling an automobile that was owned by the plaintiff. The case was heard to a jury and a verdict was returned in favor of the defendants, and a new trial is asked for by the plaintiff. The matter was taken under advisement by the court.

Work on the new Lincoln school building, going up at North Waller street and Kinney's lane, is coming along at a fine clip. The contractors began pouring cement on the second floor Tuesday. The building will not be ready for occupancy until April 1.

Red Men Will Elect

The Allegheny Tribe of Red Men No. 1 will hold their annual election of officers tonight and a good attendance is desired. Captain Jack will preside at the meeting and a smoker will follow the election.

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Wife Tells Story Of An Alleged Assault

Cincinnati, O., Dec. 2.—The defense scored heavily yesterday in the trial of Reuben Huber for the killing of his brother-in-law, John Kunzelman, in Mt. Healthy, late on the night of June 4. This was accomplished by the testimony of Mrs. Mary Huber, wife of the defendant, who came to this city from Chicago to try to free her husband from the charge of first degree murder. She told her story on the witness stand, as follows:

"When my sister, who was Kunzelman's wife, died, Kunzelman sent me a telegram and then telephoned to us in Chicago. I came here at once, and my husband came on the next day. I brought my two boys with me. They were then 6 and 8 years old. The funeral was held on Tuesday, and my husband and I stayed at Mt. Healthy until Friday, when Mr. Huber went back to Chicago, to look after the jewelry business and I went to visit some relatives near Madisonville.

"After my visit to Madisonville I returned to Mt. Healthy with my two boys and stayed at the Kunzelman home. That night, about [illegible] o'clock, some one rapped [illegible] to my room and when I [illegible] who it was, Kunzelman said: 'Oh, Mary, I'm so sick.' I got up and put on a skirt and then opened the door. Kunzelman was moaning and groaning, and [illegible] I asked him if I should go and send for a doctor. He said no, and he leaned on me and I helped him into the room, and then I told him that I was going to call some one or send for a doctor. Then he grabbed me and choked me and threw me on the bed and got the best of me."

As Mrs. Huber concluded this part of her testimony, she broke down and wept bitterly, while her husband, who had been sitting with downcast eyes throughout the recital, gazed anxiously at her shaking form. When she had regained her composure, Mrs. Huber said that she could not scream, as Kunzelman was choking her, and he kept telling her to be quiet or she would wake her two children, at the same time saying that screams would be futile, as the windows were all closed and no one could hear her.

"I kept it to myself for five years," declared Mrs. Huber. "First it was because of my sister's recent death, and then my mother was old and I knew that it would break her heart and only cause more trouble in the family. So I kept it to myself. I told it to my husband and my mother last March, because I had been told that Kunzelman was [illegible] and I feared that it would reach their ears from others, so I told it myself.

"I told my mother first and [illegible] March I told my husband. The [illegible] I repeated the story to my [illegible] husband's presence. It had been preying upon my mind and I could not have kept it any longer. [illegible] friends were writing to me that Kunzelman was [illegible]."

After she had told her husband the latter seemed stunned, Mrs. Huber testified. She said that for days he spoke but seldom, and went about the house and store as though in a trance.

"It kept eating at his brain and he could not work, but would sit for hours and look out of the window," the wife said. "He slept but little and had no appetite. Work that he did was done wrong, although he is an expert workman."

The wife testified that Huber left their store in Chicago at 10 o'clock on the morning of June 4, ostensibly to deliver a package. She did not know where he went [illegible] [illegible] Mt. Healthy [illegible] [illegible]

It is probable that the case will go to the jury [illegible] [illegible] arguments are [illegible] [illegible]

"The defense [illegible] Huber's brother [illegible] in Lexington, Ky., became insane and had to be committed to an asylum."

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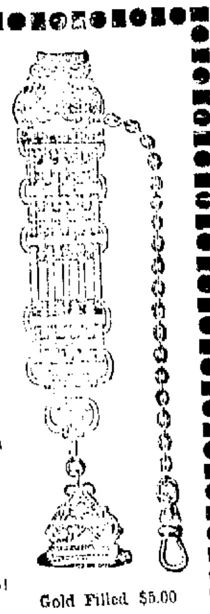

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TIES
HANDKERCHIEFS
SUSPENDERS
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SHIRTS
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GLOVES
BOOKS
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Watch Out!

For announcemnet of the sensation the Columbia has booked. It's a big one.

ROBBERY

(Continued From Page 1.)

door leading from the theatre into the foyer.

Once in the foyer they were barred from access to the box office by a heavy oak door fortified by a strong lock. In their efforts to jimmy this door they were unsuccessful. Battered wood between the door and the casing Tuesday morning showed where the robbers had unsuccessfully attempted to force the door. Baffled in this attempt, they skillfully removed a large piece of glass from the box office window. Through the opening they undoubtedly crawled and then lifting the 300 pound safe a distance of an approximate four feet, pushed it through the aperture in the window, and the skill and completeness which characterized the work of the robbers throughout was strikingly demonstrated by the fact that the marble top of the box office stand was not scratched or broken.

Carrying or dragging the safe into the interior of the theatre the robbers had the advantage of electric light. The safe was found directly beneath one of the overhead clusters and they undoubtedly worked by its rays.

Nitroglycerine Did the Work

Police are of the opinion that nitroglycerine was used. The safe was completely wrecked. Portions of it were thrown against the banister on the stairway leading to the balcony splintering and marring it. The "back" of the theater was also imbedded with small fragments of metal.

A wet towel, a bar of soap, an old case knife and a new claw hammer were found on the floor near the safe, apparently abandoned by the gang.

The money taken represented the entire proceeds of Monday's three performances. Forethought as well as ingenuity was displayed by the robbers in their work. They selected a day when the patronage is always heavy, Monday being the introduction of a new bill for the week. Receipts for the matinee and the two evening performances were "banked" in the small safe by Manager Fitzhugh Lee of the theatre.

Got Out Via Fire Escape

Escape from the building after the robbery was committed, was apparently made from the fire escape on the third floor of the building and leading onto Sixth street. The door was found open. It is always locked at night, a small hook from the inside fastening it. There are no indications that the door was forced open and that the thieves undoubtedly opened it from the inside. All evidence tends to the theory that the robbers were concealed in the house and were not compelled to force their way into the theatre.

Yeggmen Were Real Artists

A remarkable feature of the entire safe blowing job is the neatness and skill displayed. The glass removed from the window to the box office was not broken. It had been carefully laid aside inside the theatre. The way it had been removed from the window revealed the work of an artist. The only bunglesome piece of work about the entire job was the utter destruction of the safe and the futile attempt to jimmy the door to the box office leading from the foyer into the office. It alone withstood the attempts of the evening gang.

Another remarkable circumstance in connection with the robbery is the fact that no one has been found who heard the report of the explosion in cracking the safe which must have been terrific if the destruction of the safe is any criterion of the force and volume of the explosion. Leopards which are featured in one of the acts of the Sun this week, were quartered on the stage during the night. That they did not scent danger and become frightened by the explosion is considered rather out of the ordinary by the trainers. Not a whimper was heard from them during the night. The first intimation of any raid on the Sun came when Ernest Dixon stumbled over the crumbled remnants of the iron safe Tuesday morning.

From the ruins of the safe Manager Lee rescued valuable papers, which, although partially damaged by the force of the explosion, were not destroyed.

Couldn't Find Prowlers.

Police were called to the vicinity of Sixth and [illegible] streets late Monday night to investigate the report that prowlers were lurking [illegible] [illegible]. A [illegible] investigation was made by the officers, but they were unable to locate the alleged marauders.

Barns Burned.

Gallipolis, O., Dec. [illegible] large barns, belonging to Mrs. Lewis Evans of Cheshire, [illegible] hay, grain and [illegible] cows, a team of horses and all the farming implements were consumed, entailing a loss of [illegible]. It is believed an incendiary started the fire.

Will Elect Officers.

New Boston camp [illegible] [illegible]

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THE MARKETS

NEW YORK STOCKS

New York, Dec. 2. The [illegible] sales of stocks today was:

Amalgamated Copper [illegible]
American Beet Sugar, 23.
American Sugar Refining 10[illegible]
Baltimore & Ohio, 92[illegible]
Chesapeake & Ohio [illegible]
Illinois Central, 10[illegible]
Louisville & Nashville, 13[illegible]
New York Central, 9[illegible]
Norfolk & Western, 10[illegible]
Pennsylvania, 10[illegible]
United States Steel, [illegible]
United States Steel, Preferred, 10[illegible]
Western Union, 62[illegible]

GRAIN MARKET OPENING

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 2.—Wheat: Dec. 8[illegible]; May, 90[illegible] and [illegible] to 90[illegible]; July, none.

Corn: Dec. 71 to 71[illegible]; May, 70[illegible] to 70[illegible], and [illegible]; July, 70.

Oats: Dec. 37[illegible] and [illegible] to 37[illegible]; May, 41[illegible] to 41[illegible]; July, none.

CLOSE

Wheat: Dec. 8[illegible]; May, 90[illegible]; July, 88[illegible].

Corn: Dec. 7[illegible]; May, 7[illegible]; July, 69[illegible].

Oats: Dec. [illegible]; May, 41[illegible]; July, 41[illegible].

LIV ESTOCK MARKET

Chicago, Dec. 2.—Hogs: receipts, 33[illegible]; market dull; light yorkers, $7.40 to $7.70; heavy yorkers, $7.40 to $7.[illegible]; pigs, $5 to $7.

Cattle: receipts, [illegible]; market steady; beeves, $6.[illegible] to $9.[illegible]; Texas steers, $6.[illegible] to $7.[illegible]; stockers and feeders, $4.[illegible] to $7.40; cows and heifers, $3.[illegible] to $8.10; calves, $6.[illegible] to $[illegible].

Sheep and lambs: receipts 2[illegible] [illegible] to $5.10; lambs, [illegible] $7.75.

Pittsburgh, Dec. 2.—Hogs: receipts, [illegible]; heavy yorkers, $8.10; light yorkers, $8.[illegible]; pigs, $7.75.

Sheep and lambs: receipts [illegible]; top lambs, $[illegible].

Calves: receipts, 200; top, $11.[illegible]

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Fine Program For Friday Evening

The following is the program of the Patrol Leaders' association, of Scouts, Friday evening at 7 o'clock at Bigelow church. Harry Wagner, president, presiding:

Music by Boy Scout Trio.

Roll call and reading of minutes.

Music by Boy Scout Trio.

Installation of new officers.

Reception of new Patrol Leaders: Those acting with the association Corwin Knowles and Frank Davis of troop 8; Charles Baggs and Paul Ledwick of troop 3; Vance Lenint and Sam Phillips of troop 6, Ralph Price of troop 1; Howard Graf and Peter Last of troop 10; Emil Cook of troop 9.

The Factoria Convention Impressions, by M. H. F. Kinsey; Proceedings of convention, D. C. Williams; Convention addresses, Russell Williams; The Portsmouth delegation, Carey Williams; reading, Curtis Ayers.

Music by Boy Scout Trio.

Announcement by Rev. Hughes.

The next meeting, First Baptist church, January 2, 1914.

Music by Boy Scout Trio.

Punch And Judy

[illegible]

SANTA CLAUS LETTERS

[illegible]

NEW BOSTON U. A. M.

New Boston Council No. 288, [illegible], C. E. Maple, warden, Wm. [illegible]; G. Semmones, [illegible] sentinel, [illegible] Middaugh, [illegible] M. Martin, chaplain [illegible] New Boston. A large crowd was [illegible] J. Wilson, trustees, one year [illegible] [illegible]

DAN FLANNIGAN HEADS KNIGHTS OF ST. GEORGE

[illegible]

"EVA TANGUAY" COMING TO LYRIC

[illegible]

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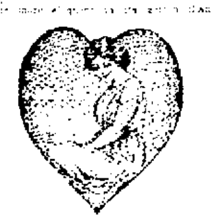

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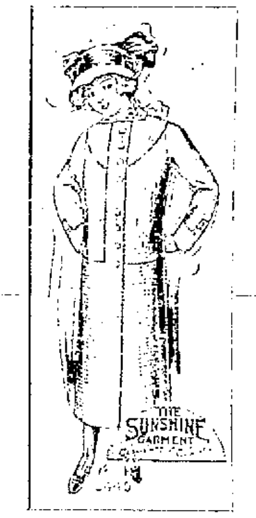

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